

The Woburn Journal

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SPECIAL NOTICE.
All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

HIGHER LICENSE FEES.

We hope to be pardoned for again alluding to this question in these columns. It is not a popular theme and many will say that our pencil might find more profitable employment than wasting its material upon it. Radical prohibitionists do not want to hear about increasing the fees for license because they are dead set against the whole system: radical free rum men are equally opposed to its discussion for reasons too plain to require statement. Nevertheless we take it on ourselves to submit a few remarks on the subject principally with a view of influencing the action of the Woburn Licensing Board at the meeting to be held on the 30th of this month to dispose of the applications for license already made. We may be accused of a superabundance of assurance, self-sufficiency, or cheek, to presume to dictate to the Board as to their duty in the premises; but we disclaim any such intention—we would merely express an opinion or two hoping that they may be of sufficient weight to arrest the attention of the Board and exert some little influence on their decision.

We are aware of the arguments in vogue in favor of a minimum fee for license to sell intoxicating drinks, but they fail to convince us that those who use them stand on tenable grounds. Recent experience has demonstrated that these arguments are fallacious and will not bring probing. They are all in the interest of greater latitude in the traffic in a commodity which we claim to be the most powerful and destructive enemy which society has to battle against in the present age. The smaller the fee for license the nearer we come to "free rum." This proposition is self-evident. Make the fee nominal and you increase the sales to a number beyond all account. The higher the license the fewer the sellers, and the better will be their individual character.

In Joliet, Illinois, the license fee was raised a year ago from \$50 to \$500, which resulted in reducing the number of licenses from 107 to 60, while the receipts therefrom paid into the city treasury increased from \$5,350 to \$30,000, and better than all that, there was a very marked decrease in drunkenness. In Lincoln, Nebraska, a city of 16,000 inhabitants, the saloons have been reduced from fifty to eleven by an application of the high fee system, and a corresponding decrease in intoxication. A prominent liquor dealer of that city recently said:—"We get along better under the new system. If the licenses were reduced to \$100 a year there would be from 50 to 75 saloons, perhaps more." This is in agreement with our statement and corroborative of testimony received from everywhere where the high license system has been tried. We might cite other cases, but space will not permit.

The proposition that high license fees tend to reduce the number of sellers, to bring the traffic under better control, and place it in more responsible hands, seem to us to be too clear and true to require argument in its support.

THE TEWKESBURY INVESTIGATION.

On Monday Governor Butler created a first class sensation in the proceedings of this unsavory affair by removing the Trustees of the almshouse and directing the Board of Health, Lunacy and Charity to take charge of the institution. It was a flank movement on the Legislative Investigating Committee and produced a great deal of excitement. Mr. Frank B. Sanborn was suggested by the Governor as a suitable person to take the place of the Marshes as Superintendent of the Almshouse, but that gentleman respectfully declined the position with the honor intended to be conferred on him. The Board of Health, Lunacy and Charity, of which ex-Governor Talbot is President, also declined to take the place of the Trustees unless the Attorney General should decide that the Governor's order was mandatory and there was no way for them to escape. It was the opinion of able Boston lawyers that the Governor's order had good legal backing, and that the Board of Health, etc., must accept the trust. The Governor assigns as a reason for his extraordinary step the necessity for an immediate change in the management of the almshouse, the testimony before the Committee, although the defense has yet to put in its case, having demonstrated clearly to His Excellency's mind an urgent demand for heroic treatment of the seemingly rotten concern. Why the Trustees were not appealed to to make the change in the management instead of throwing them out of office and giving control to the Board of Health, etc., is a question which the Governor alone may be able to answer.

Late cyclones in the South and West destroyed an immense amount of property and many lives.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

L. L. Whitney—Notice.
T. C. Evans—Vegetarian.
D. H. Richards—To Let.
John Maxwell—For Sale.
R. A. Smith—Real Estate.
J. E. Fowle—Boots & Shoes.
S. M. Pettigill & Co.—Exhibition.

Remember the Garden Party.
Stoves stored for the season by C. M. Strout.

The best refrigerators made sold by C. M. Strout.

Read Mr. Richards's card "To Let" in this paper.

Read the advertisement Row-bout for sale in this paper.

We have had some pretty cold weather this week considering it is close on to May.

Patrick McGlenon, an old man, attempted to commit suicide by poisoning last Saturday.

John Maxwell has sold land and buildings on Lawrence street to R. C. Hayward for \$3000.

We would impress it on the understanding that the Unitarian Garden Party, May 1st, is to be a grand thing.

Horton has an everlasting big stock of the handsomest and best wall papers ever offered for sale in this burg.

Mr. John Maxwell offers for sale cheap and on easy terms some very desirable lots on Academy Hill. See his notice.

Capt. William H. Matthews has been employed by the new telephone company as their Woburn agent. He understands it.

Pease planted last Fast Day must have a tough time of it. At this rate they will hardly live a dinner with spring lamb by the 15th of June.

Readers of the JOURNAL will observe a change in the coal card of Mr. J. B. McDonald, whose prices for fuel are always fair and reasonable.

A meeting of the Board of Selectmen will be held next Monday at 4.30, p. m., to pass upon applications for licenses to sell intoxicating liquors.

Mr. Collector Edward Simonds is busily engaged in sending out notices which will have a tendency to make delinquent tax-payers hump themselves.

Dr. Kelley has rented the John Cummings house opposite the Common soon to be vacated by Mrs. Fowle and with Mr. Putnam and family will occupy it after May 1.

Mrs. Charles A. Fowle and family, who will leave here for Swampscott about the first of May, will occupy the E. E. Morrison mansion at that delightful seaside resort.

The officers of John Cummings House Co., No. 3, are:—John Breslin, Foreman; Edward Callahan, Assistant; Philip Maguire, Clerk; Peter Lafferty, Treasurer; James Doherty, Steward and Driver.

At a meeting of the Engineers of the Fire Department to be held Monday evening a Chief Engineer and other officers will be chosen. It is said that Mr. Clarence Littlefield will be re-elected Chief.

On Tuesday evening Hose Company No. 1, organized by the choice of the following officers:—Foreman, J. S. Adlington; Assistant Foreman, Thomas Loomer; Clerk and Treasurer, C. A. Wood.

When the sun got a purchase on the sprinkling of snow which fell on Monday night, which it did about 9 o'clock on Tuesday morning, the untimely fall was quickly numbered among the things that were.

Mr. Alex Grant will be happy to meet his friends again at his store on the first of next week after quite a spell pretty serious illness. He hopes to be able to be at his merchant tailoring establishment on Monday.

Mr. C. A. Smith is now in New York purchasing a big spring stock for his firm which will be opened to the public in a few days. Purchasers will do well to hold up for the arrival of this stock. See change in card.

On Tuesday evening last officers of Highland Hose Co., No. 5, were elected as follows: Foreman, Robert W. King; Assistant Foreman, Edward Fountain; Clerk and Treasurer, Henry L. Andrews; Steward, Edwin F. Tabbets.

Gilest Hook & Ladder Company, No. 1, elected officers last Tuesday evening as follows: Foreman, F. H. Leathe; Assistant Foreman, W. E. Smith; Clerk and Treasurer, George William Nichols; Steward, George F. Dinmore.

We received a very pleasant call from Mr. Z. T. White of No. Wilmington last Saturday. Breezy and light-hearted the old editorial workshop seemed more cheerful and pleasant for his brief visit, and we hope he will come again.

Mr. John Seaver left last Saturday evening for Keokuk, N. Y., where he is to fill the position of clerk in a hotel in that city. We are all sorry to have John go away for he is a first rate young man and has "lots" of friends here.

J. W. Harris, formerly of Woburn, sentenced to three months imprisonment and \$1000 fine for illegal use of the mails at Portland, Maine, three months ago, has served out his time, taken the poor convicts oath, and been discharged.

At the Woburn Conference held at Wilmington last Tuesday Mr. E. E. Thompson was chosen a delegate to the General Association, and Rev. Charles Anderson, pastor of the No. Woburn Church, a delegate to the National Council.

The Woburn High School B. B. Club will go down and clean out the Winchester H. S. Club tomorrow afternoon just for the fun of the thing. The latter Club showed a temerity closely bordering on foolhardiness to challenge the Woburn boys.

Mr. John Brauer has sold his homestead on Eastern Avenue and, with his family, gone to Baltimore, which city he will make his future home. He has lived here many years, proved himself a worthy man and good citizen, and his going away is regretted.

Mr. C. M. Munroe publishes a proclamation in this paper which will be found of great interest by all in want of fashionable spring clothing, underwear, neckwear, hats, caps, etc. His new stock is a very fine one indeed composed of all the latest styles, best fabrics, and most favorable prices.

Mr. Amos Cummings makes an important announcement respecting carpets in this paper. He is making a specialty of these goods, and as this is the season of the year for buying them, and he offers such rare inducements, it will be a wonder if his trade in carpets is not big during the next month or so.

A very nice and desirable new stock of boots, shoes and slippers has just been received by Mr. Fowle at his shoe store opposite Bank Block, which purchasers will do well to examine. It consists of the latest styles, best material, and purchased at figures that enable Mr. Fowle to sell as cheap as the next man, in Woburn or out of it. Please give him a call.

The Cemetery Committee organized last week by choosing Judge P. L. Converse Chairman and Clerk, and W. R. Putnam Superintendent. A rule was adopted to select workmen from a list of applicants furnished which operated somewhat to the disadvantage of Mr. John Wyman who failed of securing a re-appointment.

Miss Carrie G. McDonald, daughter of Major J. W. McDonald, recently passed a very successful examination before the School Board of Boston and is now teaching in the city. She is a graduate of the Woburn High School, of the State Normal School at Salem, and is a young lady who will prove a credit to the profession she has chosen.

The Boston Sunday Courier informs the public that Woburn is about to organize a Village Improvement Association and that a preliminary meeting will be held next Saturday evening. Our esteemed, etc., is slightly behind the times in giving this information. Woburn has a V. I. A. in full bloom and has had for some time. It is doing a good work too.

The miniature locomotive placed on exhibition in the show window of Taylor's cigar store by Mr. Moses Bancroft, the popular sewing machine agent, is attracting a good deal of attention. It was manufactured by H. K. Austin of Reading and exhibited at the Institute Fair last fall, where it was a great curiosity to thousands of people. It is as perfect a locomotive as was ever built, handsomely finished, and cost about \$1200.

Mr. Artemus Wood, an old and respected citizen of Woburn, died at the Danvers Asylum yesterday morning at 6 o'clock. He had been an invalid and sufferer for many years, although he continued to attend to his business on Main street up to a few months ago. After a recent severe attack his brain became somewhat affected, and at his own request he was taken to Danvers where he died. He had many warm friends here who will miss and mourn him.

Mr. Rufus Howard of Stoneham, well and favorably known to Woburn people, is canvassing for "Our Wild Indians," written by Col. R. I. Dodge, with an introduction by General Sherman. This is unquestionably the best and most reliable work on the subject treated, and as such is warmly endorsed by not only Gen. Sherman but by the principal military men, statesmen and others of this country. It is a book that every one interested in the Indian question ought to have. Mr. Howard is getting a good many subscribers.

The revival meetings which have been held for a week or two past under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. are well attended and have aroused a hopeful religious interest in the community. Last Sunday Mr. R. M. Deming, General Secretary of the Boston Y. M. C. A. officiated at the Baptist Church in the morning and evening and attended the 4 o'clock meeting at the rooms of the Association. An overflow meeting was held in the large vestry of the Baptist Church in the evening which was led by Rev. Mr. Fisk, pastor of the Methodist Church. There were meetings at the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Monday, and on Tuesday evening Rev. L. B. Bates of East Boston preached in the Methodist Church. On Wednesday evening the meeting was held in the Congregational Church. A large number of persons, including many church members, have indicated a desire for the prayers of Christians, and the interest is increasing.

Mr. Mark Allen, editor and proprietor of the Woburn Advertiser, has commenced work on a Woburn Directory which he proposes to publish at an early day. A good directory of the town is very much needed, the last one having been issued in 1881, and a poor thing at that. There is no more competent person for the work than Mr. Allen, and the public may rest assured that his directory will be full, complete and perfectly reliable. We trust our business men will encourage the enterprise by liberally patronizing it with advertisements.

Mrs. Col. Hayes has sold her entire interest in the Wade Block to Tufts College and in lieu of rents receives an annuity from that institution. Judge Converse will shortly convey his interest as Trustee under the will of Col. Wade to the College. Just what will be done with the block, which is worth about \$10,000, has not yet been determined, but Judge Converse thinks it perfectly safe to say that important improvements will be made. The College Trustees hold a meeting this week to consider the subject and decide on what they will do with the valuable property.

We have received per courtesy of Messrs. Abbey & Schofield, lessees of Park Theatre, Boston, their "Fourth Annual Souvenir," which is one of the neatest things in the way of a card that has fallen under our notice of late. It is in the shape of a fan, "life size," on the front of which are the portraits of Mr. and Mrs. Florence, the eminent dramatic artists who have just closed a very successful engagement at the Park, on other faces of the thick white board are the plans of the theatre, list of plays, officers, etc., the three or four leaves being joined with a heavy silk cord and tassel, and the whole forming a handsome ornament.

On Tuesday Mr. W. W. Hill had telephone put in from his house to his drug store. It is a new kind and considerable curiosity was manifested to see how it would work. A wire was stretched over the space, ending in a simple apparatus for calling; no speaking tube, or ear trumpet, and no electricity required to convey the sound. It is called a vibratory telephone and for the purposes for which it is employed equals or surpasses the Bell in utility. It is simple, comparatively inexpensive, and enables people at a distance to converse much more readily than in the telephone in general use.

The Woburn Branch of the Massachusetts Law and Order League are not sleeping on their posts, neither are they idle. If they sleep at all it is with one eye open, and that one is looking right after the rumrunner all the time. They are doing good, effective service, as for example:—On Monday last Patrick E. Tenney, Pierce Murray, Mike Clancy, Mike Reddy, Hugh Rafferty, Thomas G. Merriam, John C. Higgins, M. and J. Maloney were arraigned in the District Court for unlawfully selling intoxicating drinks, to which they pleaded not guilty, and the cases were continued two weeks. And still there's more to follow.

"Charlotte Bronte and George Eliot" was the subject of the last essay delivered before the Woman's Club. Fully realizing the difficulty of comparing forms of genius so diverse as those which distinguish the subjects of her paper, Mr. Forman yet dealt with such comprehensive discrimination as to gratify the admirers of each and create renewed interest in both. In point of rhetorical finish the comparison was of much merit. Mrs. Abby Morton Diaz is announced for the next meeting, May 4. The name of Mrs. Diaz is familiar in both philanthropic and literary circles, and her paper, "Woman in the Millennium," promises much that is suggestive in matter and excellent in style. In order to better accommodate members of the Club and others who may wish to hear her, the ladies' parlor of the Unitarian Church has been secured. Ladies and gentlemen desiring to attend can procure tickets of the Secretary, or on the afternoon of the meeting, at the door.

Petitions are in circulation praying the Board of Selectmen to increase the price of liquor licenses, which are receiving the signatures of many of the leading citizens of the town. The names appearing on the petitions are not those of men known as radicals, for they cannot consistently sign them, but of conservative, moderate men who believe that the prices should be raised as a matter of right, justice and business. If the privilege of selling rum is worth anything it certainly seems as though the sums heretofore charged for it have been comparatively insignificant, and it is really difficult to see why the charges have been kept down to a minimum figure rather than a fair and equitable one. It is the intention of the signers of these petitions, we understand, to have their case presented to the Board by respectable representatives of the sober and temperance element in this community by whom arguments in favor of a higher license fee will be made. The Board can do no less than to receive the petitions in the spirit in which they will be presented, to give the petitioners a respectful hearing, discuss and canvass the question fairly and in a business way, and do what they think right and proper in the premises. We are persuaded that the Board will treat the petitioners and their representatives in a friendly spirit, and we trust they may see their way clear to raising the price of regular permits this year.

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This most beautiful and attractive exhibition ever offered to the public, has been produced at an immense expense, and comprises copies of the *Atlas of Diseases of Europe*. This exhibition is absolutely free, no admission being charged or received. An entertaining and explanatory lecture will be given by A. GREENE, M. D. The Public are cordially invited. Admission Free. No Boys Admitted. Invalids and the Sick should by no means miss this Lecture.

MISS MERTENA L. BANCROFT,

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Residence—Franklin Street, Woburn. 37-4f

The following are the officers of Clinton Hose Co., No. 6:—Foreman, George H. Newcomb; Assistant Foreman, William R. Newcomb; Clerk, William P. Robinson; Treasurer, Charles J. Dean; Steward, Charles E. Searle.

Mr. William Kimball, an old and highly respected resident of Woburn, has broken up his home here and, with his family, moved to Wilton, N. H., where he will reside most of the time in the future. The poor health of his wife necessitated a change of residence and it is believed that the pure, bracing air of the New Hampshire hills will greatly benefit her. Mr. Kimball has secured a pleasant home on the old Abbott farm—the birthplace and early home of Jacob and John S. C. Abbott, the historians and writers—which is now occupied by a descendant of the Abbott who settled the farm a hundred and fifty years ago. The location is delightful, the scenery charming, all the surroundings exceedingly pleasant, and we suspect Mr. Kimball and his family will be very happy there.

Yesterday afternoon Leonard Thompson, Esq., and wife joined the Raymond California excursion for a two-months visit to the great West and Pacific slope. The party go by the way of Montreal and spend their first Sunday in Chicago, which famous city they will "do" and then proceed towards the land of the setting sun. The trip will include all the most interesting points of the West and notable routes usually taken by tourists in pursuit of the best things to be seen. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will return with the excursionists to Chicago where they intend to make a somewhat protracted halt and visit with their son who is a civil engineer in the employ of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway with his office in that city. They will reach Woburn, providence permitting, some time in the latter part of July. And may their trip be a pleasant one.

A regular meeting of the School Committee was held for organization at the rooms of the Board on last Tuesday evening, at which every member was present. Hon John Cummings was re-elected Chairman, Mr. Henry M. Aldrich Secretary, and Dr. C. T. Lang Auditor. Mr. E. H. Davis was unanimously chosen Superintendent of the Schools, a position which he has filled for many years with credit to himself as an educator, and profit to the schools. The Secretary was instructed to notify the Board of Selectmen that a vacancy exists in the School Board with a view of having the same filled. The report of Superintendent Davis was read and accepted. Miss Mary Perkins was admitted to the training class to take effect in September next. G. W. Norris being no longer a member things moved along smoothly and good feeling prevailed. He was a disturbing element which fortunately has been got rid of. The re-election of Mr. Davis is in accordance with the wishes of all who have the good of our schools at heart, and a guarantee that the high standard of excellence which they have attained is not to be lowered in the future. We are proud to know that the schools of Woburn are in advance of those of any other town in the Commonwealth, a fact that is recognized everywhere except in Quincy which would be a rival of Woburn, but in the opinion of

the best educators in the State, not a successful one. At an early day we propose to devote considerable space to our schools believing that by so doing we can do the town a favor.

Woburn Conference.

The Woburn Conference was held at Wilmington on Tuesday last. Twenty-one churches composed the Conference all of which were represented except one. A large number went from this town in barges and private teams who report the meeting as having been very pleasant and profitable. The exercises consisted of devotional services in the morning, routine business, reports from the churches which represented that they were all in a prosperous condition and dwelling together in peace and harmony. Nothing concerning them of an unusual character was reported. The report of the Committee on the work of the Churches was made by Rev. John G. Taylor whose paper related chiefly to "Our Foreign Population"—a tolerable hard nut to crack we should think. He gave the number of foreigners in the sixteen towns composing the Conference, and dwelt in detail on the duty of the church towards them. Some of his ideas were Utopian, and others would not fit localities like Woburn. He said in effect that they ought to be cordially recognized by the native population, whereas the trouble here is, to prevail on the foreigners to recognize the existence of natives either in politics or religion. A discussion followed this report, at the close of which there was a recess and dinner. The good people of Wilmington gave the delegates a cordial greeting and a dinner fit for kings. They are famous people for good living, and if those who enjoyed their hospitality on Tuesday are truthful the entertainment of the meeting by the citizens was of the most generous character. Business followed the dinner, after which Rev. Mr. Bailey, under the Commission, gave an address on education in Utah, which was well received, although a somewhat labored production. The Conference closed with an interesting address on Foreign Missions by Rev. S. C. Pixley, who has been in the foreign field of missions for twenty-five years. It was listened to with great interest. It appears from the statistical report that the total membership of the churches comprising the conference is 3,393, of which the First Congregational Church of Woburn has 617—the largest in the Conference; total amount given for benevolent purposes during the year, \$21,573 71; total expenditures, \$54,120 77; total charities and expenditures, \$75,662 48; number of members of Sunday School, 4,587.

It was voted to hold the next Conference at the Old South Church at Reading.

No man knows what a ministering angel his wife is until he comes home one day, suffering with a dreadful cold, and she happens to have a bottle of Dr. Ball's Cough Syrup in the house.

THE WONDER

Is becoming universal as to how such an immense sale could be created in Lowell for Hood's Sarsaparilla. At that time she had very little appetite; could take no long walks, and her face was badly broken out with humor. She was low-spirited, troubled with cold hands and feet; her blood seemed to be poor, and she was in a condition which caused her great anxiety. After taking one bottle of her Sarsaparilla she began to improve, and she now has a good appetite and can take much longer walks. Her humor is nothing compared with what it was one year ago. She is in better spirits, is not troubled with cold hands and feet as previously. And I attribute this improvement in her condition largely to your Sarsaparilla. She has taken six bottles, and intends to continue its use. I was inclined to oppose the trial of it at first. I now have great faith in it as a blood purifier.

Cold Hands and Feet.
A. I. HICKS, Feb. 2, 1892.
Messrs. C. I. Hood & Co.: Gentlemen—About one year ago my daughter commenced taking your Sarsaparilla. At that time she had very little appetite; could take no long walks, and her face was badly broken out with humor. She was low-spirited, troubled with cold hands and feet; her blood seemed to be poor, and she was in a condition which caused her great anxiety. After taking one bottle of her Sarsaparilla she began to improve, and she now has a good appetite and can take much longer walks. Her humor is nothing compared with what it was one year ago. She is in better spirits, is not troubled with cold hands and feet as previously. And I attribute this improvement in her condition largely to your Sarsaparilla. She has taken six bottles, and intends to continue its use. I was inclined to oppose the trial of it at first. I now have great faith in it as a blood purifier.

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CUMMINGSVILLE.

The employees of John Cummings' tannery in Woburn have made a formal demand that their wages be increased 10 per cent, the amount they received before the cut down last winter.

A congressman speaking one day, Got lame in his jaw, they do say, With the ache he was tolling, But a St. Jacobs Oiling, He said was worth all his pay.

The champion driver Dan Mace, Who never was "tied" in the race, Says for cuts and for sprains, And all bodily pains, St. Jacobs Oil holds the first place.

Journalistic.

The Boston Sunday Courier is the best paper of the class published at the Hub. It is immense in size, handsomely printed, and filled with fresh society, dramatic, musical, hotel and every other kind of valuable news, and is likewise very ably edited.

Our esteemed contemporary the Palmer Journal has recently been enlarged further with an entire new dress, and is now one of the best papers and most welcome exchanges that reaches our table. Success to the enterprising proprietor.

The Lynn Bee, one of the sprightliest and most readable dailies in the neighborhood of Boston, is now published by the Bee Newspaper Company who have the money and brains to push it more vigorously than ever before. It has been a paying enterprise from the start and deserves its success.

Every one has a will and a mind to think for himself, yet many will go about hacking and coughing until a friend recommends Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for that cough.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the Pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School and Bible Class at 12 m.; Young People's Prayer meeting at 6 p. m.; at 7 p. m. Y. M. C. A. at the Congregational Church. Meetings during the week to be announced on the Sabbath.

UNITARIAN.—The pastor will preach at 10.30; last Sunday of the Male Quartette; Sunday School at 12 m. Tuesday and Wednesday, May Party in Lyceum Hall.

Y. M. C. A.—Meetings at the Rooms, Sunday morning, Prayer Meeting at 9.30 Scandinavian service at 10.30; Praise Meeting Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Boys' Prayer Meeting, Tuesday evening at 7.30. Scandinavian Club, Wednesday evening at 7.30.

MONTVALE MISSION CHAPEL.—Rev. Wm. Kelloway, pastor. Preaching Sunday morning at 10.45; Sunday school at 12; prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

SWEDENBORGIAN CHAPEL, EAST WOBURN.—Public service at 10.45 a. m.; Sunday school at 12.

CATHOLIC.—Services at St. Charles church Main street, at the usual hours on Sunday.

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In Woburn, April 29, Ann McCarron, aged 81 years.
In Woburn, April 29, Alice O'Brien, aged 7 years.
In Woburn, April 28, Sarah E. McQuillan, aged 4 years and 15 days.
In Wilmington, April 24, Louisa Bartt, aged 79 years.
At Danvers, April 26, Artemus Wood,

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Winchester only.

WINCHESTER.

Work on the Catholic Church extension has begun.

Last Friday a reception was given to Rev. J. M. Leonard, pastor of the Methodist Church.

A barn on the Bacon place was burned on last Sunday night. Total damage about \$100.

The Orthodox Society are going to lay out some money in repairs on their organ and pews. That is all.

A correspondent of the *Star* makes it out that the disbanded fire companies were in the fault and not the Engineers.

The officers of Hook & Ladder Company are: Foreman, Thomas P. Doten; Assistant Foreman, H. W. Plummer.

The Catholic Fair opened in Lyceum Hall on Monday under very favorable auspices. It promises to be a very large affair.

It looks as though the plan for improving the Congregational Church had fallen through. I cannot say what may be done in the near future.

The *JOURNAL* printed a list of our town officers on the 13th; the *Star* did the same thing on the 20th. And yet the *Star* claims to be a Winchester paper.

The Catholic Fair is going right along splendidly. It is the hugest affair of the kind that the Catholics have ever had here, and no doubt it will yield heads of cash.

The new organization of Hose No. 1 is offered as follows: Foreman, J. D. Callahan; Assistant Foreman, J. J. Nolan; Clerk, Patrick Noonan; Driver, C. H. Price—all good men.

Improvements have been inaugurated on our Common. The curbstones are being reset, and it is the intention to make this spot a jewel of beauty. It can't be done too soon for the credit of the town.

Mrs. J. C. Mason read a paper on Banking before the Fortnightly Club last Monday in place of Mr. Billings who was prevented by illness. Those who heard it speak highly of Mrs. Mason's production.

Mr. F. A. Patch has gone to farming. Hereafter he proposes to be numbered among the bone and sinew of the land. He has bought the General Locke farm of eleven acres on the West Side and agricultural products have got to boom if there is any boom in them.

The officers of O'Connell Court, M. C. O. F. are: Chief Ranger, J. F. Holland; Vice, P. Foley; R. S., C. Warrell; F. S., J. F. Carr; Treasurer, P. O'Dowd; Senior C., J. L. Hennessy; Junior C., J. Neely; I. G., William Doyle; O. G., Michael Flynn.

The Winchester High School Baseball Club has challenged the Woburn High School Club for a contest of science, pluck and endurance on the diamond field and the game will be played on Saturday afternoon on the Common in this village. What little money I have says that the home Club will prove victors in the fight.

Mr. H. F. Nourse of Winchester is one of the Trustees of the Tewksbury Almshouse, the authority of which Board the Governor undertook to supersede on Monday by placing the institution in the hands of the State Board of Health, Lunacy and Charity. I have not interviewed Mr. Nourse and am therefore unable to say how he takes the deposition of the Board.

Quite a delegation from the Congregational Church in this village attended the Woburn Conference held at Wilmington last Tuesday. The major part of them went in a barge, but some by private conveyances. By the report read at the Conference it was shown that the membership of the Church is 375; amount given for benevolent purposes during the year, \$4,216.03; expenditures, \$4,500; total charities and expenditures, \$8,716.03; number of members of Sunday School, 400.

The weary, wandering tramp will find Winchester "a hard road to travel" hereafter. No more will he be allowed to rest his weary bones and pillow his aching head on the soft side of a pitch pine plank in the lock-up, but when, heart-sick and sore-footed, he applies for a night's repose within its palatial walls he will be notified by the minions of law to "move on" or meet a worse fate. Poor old tramp! Winchester shuts her doors to you—

Winchester, who may some day become a tramp herself, refuses you the humble boon of wooing nature's sweet restorer balmy sleep within her precincts at public expense, but the grassy lanes, the silver glades, the silent groves, and fragrant haystacks are still left to you, and the precious privilege of soliciting cold victuals at back kitchen doors.

The annual reunion of the Winchester High School Association held on last Friday evening was best one yet. There was a large attendance and everybody enjoyed the exercises from beginning to end. The programme included a literary and musical entertainment of a superior character, a very fine supper, and a glorious good dance to top off with. The first consisted of concert selections by Richardson's orchestra, an Address of Welcome by the President of the Association, piano solo by Miss Carrie Pond, reading by Miss Annie J. Fowler, song by Mr. H. P. Ayer, recitation, refrain sung by Mrs. Susie C. Bailey, quartette, original poem by Miss Lena Brackett, song by Miss Grace Carter, story of King Cophetua and the Beggar Maid, with tableaux, and ballad sung by Mr. Ayer. The supper tables fairly groaned beneath the weight of good things and its praises were on all lips. The dancing included eight numbers, and was the cap-sheaf of the evening. It was the verdict of all present that the reunion was a literary, musical, gastronomic, and terpsichorean success.

BURLINGTON.

MISCHIEF.—Between Friday and Monday, the East school-house was entered by some person or persons unknown, but no damage was done and no robbery committed.

RETURNED.—Mr. S. W. Rodman of Boston returns this season, to his residence in Burlington, after an absence of several years.

WEST SCHOOL.—Repairs on the West Schoolhouse are progressing finely, and the school will probably be opened at an early date.

[From the Boston Advertiser.]
Woburn and Winchester.

If Salem can claim to be the oldest seat of the leather industry in Massachusetts, Woburn can claim to produce now the largest annual product in value, and to be but a few decades behind Salem in establishing her first tannery. The brothers John and Francis Wyman, who were among the first settlers of the town, were tanners, and as tradition affirms, had their tannery in Wyman lane, near what is now Wyman street, on land still belonging to the family. Gershom Flagg, who came as a young man to Woburn from Watertown, and married in Woburn in 1695, was a tanner by trade, and had his bark-house, mill-house, tan-vats, and about an acre of land, near the old Carter estate, not far from where the engine-house now stands, on Winchester street. During King Philip's war the taxes of Woburn were at one time partly paid in hides, manufactured probably from leather prepared by some of the citizens named. But it does not appear that either of them carried on the business on a very large scale.

The Wyman family have not been successful in their business by Jonathan Wyman, a grandson of John, and at later period (about 1768) by Mr. David Cummings, another son of John, who was a tanner. The business rather languished, however, after the Revolutionary war, and 20 years ago an old citizen of Burlington called on the late Dr. John Cummings during the war of 1812. As both were thrifty and energetic, they soon began to extend their trade by seeking customers in the city and country. The shoe business, among the largest establishments in the town, has been only such as many other towns witnessed, the spasmodic and necessary work of a few individuals, and we have given little indication of the rapid development of this industry in the nineteenth century. General Thompson entered upon the business about 1820, when Dr. Cummings was in the city. He was a tanner by trade, and he was one of the largest leather-producing towns of the leather-producing State of Massachusetts. The shoe business of Woburn was quite large from 1855 to 1865, but it has increased but little since, and is now insignificant in comparison with the leather interest. More than one-third of all the males engaged in business in Woburn are in the leather business, and more than one-half of all those engaged in manufacturing and mechanical industries. The tannery and shoe-making industries are devoted to about the same proportion to the leather business, and so far as its interest is concerned, it is one of the largest leather-producing towns of the leather-producing State of Massachusetts. The shoe business of Woburn was quite large from 1855 to 1865, but it has increased but little since, and is now insignificant in comparison with the leather interest. More than one-third of all the males engaged in business in Woburn are in the leather business, and more than one-half of all those engaged in manufacturing and mechanical industries. The tannery and shoe-making industries are devoted to about the same proportion to the leather business, and so far as its interest is concerned, it is one of the largest leather-producing towns of the leather-producing State of Massachusetts.

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The Title to the Public Library.

John H. Johnson, Esq., has prepared an abstract of the title to the land now occupied by the Public Library, and presented the result of his labors to the library committee. This labor of love is interesting in an antiquarian, as well as in a business sense, and it is to be hoped that the Committee will consent to print the communication entire in the forthcoming yearly bulletin of accessions, that so valuable a contribution to the history of the library may be lastingly preserved in permanent form, and that every citizen feeling an interest may have a copy for his own use.

The land covered by the library lot originally belonged to the town. Mr. Johnson divides his account of the title in two parts; the first treating of the part formerly known as the Horace W. Davis (or Bowen Buckman) estate; the second treating of the Jonathan Bowers Winn portion of the estate. And it is singular that both estates derive their earliest individual title from the first and second ministers of the ancient town of Woburn.

The Davis lot was a portion of the estate originally granted by the town to its first pastor, Mr. Thomas Carter, on which estate the town erected a house for him at the public charge and gave it with the land to him and his heirs forever. The house stood on the site of Mrs. Littlefield's (formerly Sylvanus Wood's) residence, and it is reported that some of the timbers of the original house were used in the construction of the present edifice. Thomas Carter, the minister, held the estate till his death in 1684. His successor in ownership was his son Timothy Carter, who, in 1716, conveyed the estate to his son Thomas Carter. This Thomas Carter died, owning the land, in 1771, and was succeeded by his widow, and his two daughters, Hannah, the widow of Seth Brewster, and Mary Carter, who was unmarried. These women held the estate undivided. Hannah Brewster died in 1796, leaving as her only heir her daughter Mary Carter Brewster, who had married Benjamin Coolidge. Mary Carter, the unmarried sister of Hannah Brewster, then appeared to hold the estate in her name, and Samuel Thompson, Esq., in an invoice taken of her estate in 1798, speaks of the house as old, leading to the inference that the house originally given by the town to the Rev. Thomas Carter may then have been standing. At the same date (1798) the house was described as 36 feet by 28; with 19 windows, 161 square feet of glass; two stories in front and one in rear.

Mary Carter dying in 1817, her niece Mary Carter (Brewster) Coolidge became by inheritance the sole owner of the Carter homestead. Benjamin Coolidge, her husband, died in 1820, and she died in 1823, leaving as heirs at law, her children, Mary C., the wife of Benjamin F. Baldwin; Thomas B. Coolidge and Oliver B. Coolidge. In 1823, Thomas B. Coolidge grants to his brother Oliver B. Coolidge an undivided third part of the farm, formerly known by the name of the Carter place. Mary C. Baldwin and Thomas B. Coolidge convey to Oliver B. Coolidge in 1823. He conveys to Abel Winn, John Cummings, Samuel Abbott, John Tidd, Leonard Fowle, George Richardson and Sylvanus Wood, Jr., in 1827. They convey to Samuel Abbott in 1828. Abbott conveys to Bowen Buckman in 1831. Buckman's heirs in 1865 convey to Horace W. Davis. The latter's widow conveys to John Cummings in 1877, and he conveys to the town of Woburn in the same year.

Mr. Johnson's proof of his points is very skillfully done, and in this notice we have touched only upon a few of them.

The J. B. Winn lot was a portion of the estate granted by the town to the Rev. Jabez Fox, his second minister, in 1679.

Jabez Fox died in 1703, and his son John Fox succeeded him in the ministry and in his estate. Rev. John Fox died in 1756, leaving his wife Mary as his interest in his estate. She was succeeded by her son John Fox, who was dwelling in the mansion house in 1770. Fox lost it by mortgage, and it came into the hands of the executor, of the will of one Jane Eustis, who sold to Edmund Trowbridge in 1791, who at his death, in 1793, conveyed it in trust for John Hastings and Lydia Hastings his niece. In 1818 it came into the hands of Thomas Gibson, who conveyed the same to James Bridge in 1819. Bridge conveyed to William Martin in 1831, and John C. Brackett, guardian of Martin, conveyed to Jonathan B. Winn in 1847.

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The Light from Over the Range.
"Dye see it, pard?"
"See what, Rough?"
"The light from over the Range."
"Not a bit, Rough. It's not day-break yet. Yer sick, an' yer head bothers ye."
"Pard, yer off. I've been sick, but I'm well again. It's not dark like it was. The light's a comin'—comin' like the boyhood days that creep into the winders of the old home."
"Ye've been dreamin', Rough. The fever haint all outen yer head yet."
"Dreamin'? 'Twant all dreams. It's the light comin', pard. I see 'em all plain. That's the ole man lookin' white an' awful, just as he looked the mornin' he drove me from home; an' that woman behind him, stretchin' out her arms arter me, is the best mother in the world. Don't you see 'em, pard?"
"Yer flighty, Rough. It's all dark, 'cep'ing a pine knot flickerin' in the ashes."
"No—the light's a comin' brighter an' brighter. Look! It's beamin' over the range, bright an' gentle, like the smile that used to be over me when my head laid in my mother's lap, long, long ago."
"Hyar's a little brandy, Rough. That; I seen it though my eyes are dim—somehow—hyar, Rough."
"Never, pard. That stuff spiled the best years of my life—it shan't spile my dreams of 'em. Oh, shan't dreams, pard. They take me to the old home again. I see the white house 'mong the trees again. I smell the breath of the apple blossoms, an' hear the birds singin' an' the bees hummin', and the old plough songs echoin' over the level valley. I see the river windin' through the willers an' sycamores, an' the dear old hills all around, pintin' up to heaven like the spires of big meetin'-houses. That's the old rock we called the tea table. I climb up on it an' play, a happy boy agin. Oh, if I'd only staid thar, pard."

Experiment with Commercial Fertilizers.
WARWICK MASS., Jan. 8, 1883.
I put a good dressing of manure upon a piece of land and planted it with potatoes, and tried the following experiment on three rows, side by side. First row, with nothing in the hill, yielding 169 pounds good and 16 pounds small potatoes; second row, with seventeen cents' worth of a special potato manure, yielding 233 pounds good, and 23 pounds small potatoes; third row, with seventeen cents' worth of Bradley's Phosphate, yielding 273 pounds good and 21 pounds small potatoes. At fifty cents per bushel for small potatoes, the first row with nothing in the hill, was worth \$1.48; second row, with the special potato manure in the hill, was worth fifty six cents more; and third row, with Bradley's Phosphate in the hill, was worth eight-eight cents more than the first row. The special potato manure produced 37-1-2 per cent and Bradley's Phosphate 61 per cent more good potatoes than when there was nothing in the hill.
JOSEPH A. WILLIAMS.

A Model Georgia Love Letter.
The following is said to be a model Georgia love letter:—"Dearest Ben: My love is stronger than the smell of coffee, patent butter or the kick of a young cow. Sensations of exquisite joy go through me like cohorts of ants through an army cracker, and caper over my heart like young goats on a stable roof. I feel as if I could lift myself by my boot straps to the height of a church steeple, or like an old stage horse in a green pasture. As the mean pup hankers after sweet milk, so do I hanker after your presence, and as a gosling swimmer in the mud puddle, so do I swim in a sea of delightfulness when you are near me. My heart flaps up and down like a churn-dasher, and my eyes stand open like cellar doors in a country town, and if my love is not reciprocated, I will pine away and die like a poisoned bug, and you can come and catch a cold on my grave."

From the Carlyle-Emerson Correspondence.
CARLYLE:—It is part of my creed that the only poetry in history—could we tell it right. Coleridge:—How great a possibility, how small a realized result!
A friendly thought is the purest gift that man can afford to man.
Of the whole mountain of miseries one grumble at in this life the central and parent one is that you cannot utter yourself.
The actual well seen is the ideal.
That (health and nerves) is nine tenths of all the battle in this world.
We read at first Tennyson's Idylls with profound recognition of the finely elaborated execution and also of the inward perfection of vacancy.
EMERSON:—The thoughts of the best minds always become the lost opinion of society.
The best poem of the poet is his own mind and more even than in any of the works I rejoice in the promise of the workman.
It can always live and it can scarce find competition. (Of wit in America.)
Men live on the brink of mysteries and harmonies into which they never enter, and with their hands on the door handle they die outside.
I find my highest prayer granted in calling a wise and just man my friend.
Go away from home I am rich no longer. I always seem to suffer some loss of faith on entering cities.
When I go out of doors in the Summer and see how high the stars are I am persuaded that there is a time enough here somewhere for all that I must do; and the good world manifests very little impatience.
To live too long is a capital misfortune and I sometimes think if we shall not parry it by better art of living we shall learn to include in our morals some better control of the facts.
The Supreme Court of Iowa declares it to be a misdemeanor to kill a lightning rod agent. A paragraph thereupon declares: "whether it be a misdemeanor or not, there is no manner miss than to fall to hit one when he is fired at." A Western editor, in speaking of his cure of catarrh by Elly's Cream Balm says: "It's been lightening. It is, however, only a peevish complaint, which indeed surely cures Catarrh. It is not a liquid or snuff, and is easily applied. It allays pain; stops discharges; heals the irritated, inflamed and diseased nasal membranes. P. F. Hyatt, M. D., of Bordentown, N. J., says: 'I purchased a stock of Elly's Cream Balm, and it has effected a number of cures of catarrh in this place.' This preparation needs only to be tried to attest its worth. Its popularity is almost phenomenal, but well deserved."

"Ten times one dollar," said the schoolmaster; "Now, go on sir; ten dollars make one—what?" "They make one mighty glad these times," replied the boy, and the teacher, who hadn't got his last month's salary yet, concluded the boy was right.—*Norristown Herald.*

LITERARY NOTICES.
The North American Review for May contains nine articles, nearly every one of which discusses some topic or problem at the present moment prominent in the public mind. Senator John T. Morgan writes of "Mexico," and sets forth the considerations of commercial advantage and international comity which are rapidly bringing about a more cordial understanding between that country and United States. The Rev. William Kirkus, taking occasion from Bishop McQuaid's recent vaticinations regarding the decay of Protestantism, makes a vigorous counter charge upon the papal system in an article entitled "The Disintegration of Romanism." In "Emerson and Carlyle," Edwin P. Whipple discusses with all the old-time keenness of psychological insight and perfection of literary form upon the strangely diverse mental and moral characteristics of those two great thinkers. Prof. Felix Adler offers "A Secular View of Moral Training," arguing that the current skeptical habit of thought demands an independent system of practical ethics, based primarily on observation rather than on revelation. "Communism in America," by Prof. Alexander Winchell, gives very forcible expression to the apprehensions of those pessimistic observers of the trend of events in this country who think that they see in our political and social development all the signs of impending national decay. The other articles are "Affinities of Buddhism and Christianity," by the Rev. Dr. James Freeman Clarke; "Woman as an Inventor," by Matilda Joselyn Gage; "College Endowments" by Rossiter Johnson; and "Extradition," by A. G. Sedgwick. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York, and for sale by booksellers generally.

The May number of FRANK LESLIE'S POPULAR MONTHLY is filled with matter of the most interesting and attractive character; the illustrations are profuse, and the color of the frontispiece is really worth more than the price of the magazine. Among the profusely illustrated articles are the Shadocks which threaten France, by Richard B. Kimball, Poole and Jesters, and The British Museum, by N. Robinson; Shall the Buffalo Go? Reminiscences of an old Buffalo hunter. Freiburg; Transit of Venus, etc. The thrilling romance, The Beautiful Countess of Clairville, is continued, and there are short stories, sketches, etc., by W. J. Morgan, David Best, Walter E. McCann, Henry C. Evans, etc. Most of the poems are carefully illustrated, and are from the pen of Julia Goddard, John F. Waller, and other favorite writers. There is an abundance of brief articles, paragraphs, etc., entertaining and replete with information. A single copy is only 25 cents, or \$3 a year postpaid. Address, Mrs. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55 57 Park Place, New York.

St. Nicholas for May has a woody, spring flavor, and opens the second part of the volume with a strong table of contents, important features of which are the opening chapters of Swept Away and The Story of Robin Hood. Swept Away is vividly illustrated by J. Wells Champney, and the drawings for Robin Hood are by R. B. Birch. The Trunkers Brothers' Tide-Mill, continues to increase in interest with each succeeding number. Lucy Larcum has a reasonable out-of-door sketch, quaintly called Among the Polly-dancers; and there is a profusely illustrated article on the curiosities of bird-life, queer nests, and clever expedients. A paper with a very suggestive title is The Last of the Peterkins. Van Dyke is the subject of an Art and Artist paper by Mrs. Clement. A finely engraved portrait of him forms the frontispiece, and there are a number of reproductions of his more famous works. The Work and Play department consists of a clever article, crowded with pictures and diagrams, entitled Chalk-Talk, by Frank Reed. Charles Barnard, H. H., Rose Lattimore, Joel Stacey, Malcolm Douglas, Walter Satterlee, J. G. Francis, Jessie McDermott, Dan Beard, W. H. Drake, Calmer Barnes, and many others, help to make a capital issue.

The May CENTURY makes appeal to a large variety of tastes. By way of history and adventure there are three illustrated papers: The Aborigines and the Colonists, by Edward Eggleston; the first of two papers by H. H., on Spanish Missions of Southern California, entitled Father Junipero and his Work, and, thirdly, a paper of great value, by Frank H. Cushing, on his Adventures in Zuni. The illustrations of all these papers have been made with the strictest regard for historical accuracy. By way of personal interest there are three sketches: One of Cardinal Manning (with a portrait which is printed as a frontispiece), a second, an exposition of Salvini's King Lear, with a drawing of the great tragedian in this character, third, a charming light essay by Henry James Jr. on the Marquis de La Fayette, and on the artist's recollections to London society. Apropos of the recent criticisms of American literature and American writing about England, Mr. Charles Dudley Warner makes a retort courteous to his critics in The English Volunteers during the Late Invasion. Moral Purpose in Art treats a theme of wide interest. There is also an illustrated paper on The Father of American Libraries. The practical and suggestive series of papers, by Washington Gladden, on The Christian League of Connecticut, is continued. In fiction there is a Woman's Reason; Pomona; Daughter; and At Teague Poter's. In Topics of the Time are The Effects of Civil Service Reform upon Parties and The Appointment of Postmasters, together with the announcement of A New Departure in the make-up of The CENTURY and the reasons therefor. Contributors to Brie-a-Brac are Walter Leonard, R. B. Stoddard, Oscar Fay Adams, J. A. Macon, and Charles H. Grandall, who gives a glimpse of most of the department. Other poetry in the number is by Rose Hawthorne Lathrop, L. Frank Tooker, Richard Watson Gilder, Joel Benton, John James Platt, and others.

The WHEELMAN is a unique enterprise. No sport ever had such an able representative as bicycling possesses in this excellent periodical. The tasteful cover, the splendid illustrations, well drawn and well engraved, and the articles themselves rank The WHEELMAN with our best magazines. There is a breeziness, an outdoor air, about the contents which is refreshing and delightful. It takes the readers from crowded cities, away from business and care into the open country. A perusal of its pages will make the reader, if he is not already a wheelman, long to join the ranks of those who stride the "silent steed." Though the wheel is woven into its many articles, stories and poems, they are interesting to those who are not fortunate enough to ride a bicycle; it opens up a new and fresh field of charming literature. The May number is a very interesting one several of the articles being very finely illustrated. The Citizens' Bicycling Club and A Summer Ramble among the Black Hills are especially entertaining.

If the women who have adopted the fashion of wearing red mask veils could be made to realize how unbecoming they are, they would never be induced to put one on again, except in a moment of mental lapse. They give to the hair a copper-colored tinge, and make the face of the wearer look as though she were suffering from an aggravated case of measles. In the name of beauty, down with red veils.—*Boston Advertiser.*

Itching Piles—Symptoms and Cure.
The symptoms are moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching, very distressing, particularly at night, when a few pin-pricks are crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected. It allowed to continue very serious results may follow. "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT" is a pleasant, sure cure. Also for Tetter, Itch, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Erysipelas, Barbers' Itch, Blotches, all scalp crusty Skin Diseases. Sent by mail for 50 cents; 3 boxes \$1.25 (in stamps). Address DR. SWAYNE & SON, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by druggists.

The Florida Legislature has passed a bill conferring police powers on train conductors. As we understand it they already possess such powers. It is the duty of a train conductor to convey people to the station.—*Rochester (N. Y.) Express.*

Unable to Tell.
Yes, that was so. For years I suffered severely with scrofula; sores broke out all over my body, and I was unable to tell one half that I suffered. I was not able to obtain relief until I used Sulphur Bitters, which completely cured me.—C. B. DALE, 17 Alliston street, Boston.

There was company to supper, the table was set out splendidly, and all were enjoying themselves exceedingly, when the pet of the household unfortunately whispered: "Ma, why don't you have this sort of supper when there isn't any company?"

Extreme Tired Feeling.
A lady tells us "The first bottle has done my tongue a great deal of good, her food does not distress her now, nor does she suffer from that extreme tired feeling which she did before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla." A second bottle effected a cure. No other preparation contains such a concentration of vitalizing, enriching, purifying and invigorating properties as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

If any saloon-keeper can show that he has the right to so debase men that it makes our passage through the streets of Davenport unsafe, in order that he may live a life of idleness, we will then be ready to resign and emigrate.—*Davenport News.*

Catarth of the Bladder.
Stinging, smarting irritation of the urinal passages, disordered discharges, cured by "Dandelion Bitters." \$1.00 per bottle. Prepaid by express, \$1.25, for 50 c. E. S. WELLS, Jersey City, N. J.

A drummer for a Chicago house who has an extra wife in this state feels highly indignant to discover that she has eloped with a Toledo drummer. He says the boys should have more respect for each other's feelings.

Hope For Drunkards.
My husband had drunken habits he could not overcome until Parker's Ginger Tonic took away his thirst for stimulants, restored his energy of mind and gave him strength to attend to business.—*Cincinnati Lady.*

Another infallible sign of the near approach of spring is that the newspapers are beginning to talk about Col. Delancy Kane and his Tally-ho coach. One never hears of this remarkable young man except in the spring.

For dressing the hair, and beautifying it when gray, nothing is so satisfactory as Parker's Hair Balm.

Rector's wife (severely)—"Tommy Jackson, how is it you don't take off your hat when you meet me?" Tommy—"Well, marm, if I take off my hat to you, what be I to do when I meet the parson himself?"

Don't Die in the House.
Ask druggists for "Rough on Rats." It clears out rats, mice, bed-bugs, roaches, vermin, flies, ants, insects. 15c. per box.

All human things are hollow. Men are human things—ergo; men are hollow. It is contemptible to be hollow—ergo; they stuff themselves as full as possible.

The Superintendent of the mint didn't want to put the word "cents" on the new five-cent coin. But it was certainly non-cents without it.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

The junk industry of Washington is menaced by a proposition to print a greatly reduced number of public documents.

With 10,000,000 American newspapers pouring into England every year, they may get to know something over in the old country one of these days.

Some interesting statistics have lately been published with regard to the consumption of alcoholic drinks in Great Britain during the last two years. It appears that the amount of imported wine has fallen off this year to the extent of about eight per cent. Imported spirits have gone down by one and a quarter per cent, and home-made spirits by one per cent, while the consumption has also decreased considerably. On the other hand the demand for tea has increased during the same period by about three per cent, and that for cocoa by eight per cent. This to some extent meets the fear that the revenue may suffer by the national change in the drinking habit of the nation.

General News.
A copyright convention has been signed between Germany and France. The Unitarian church at West Dedham was struck by lightning Friday and badly damaged. Nearly three thousand emigrants left Liverpool for the United States and Canada on Thursday.

The sale of the Hannibal & St. Joseph control to the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy was perfected Friday.

Secretary Teller still holds Commissioner Armstrong's letter on the government claim against Union Pacific.

The Matthews lumber mill, near Texarkana, Ark., was burned Friday, the estimated property loss reaching \$200,000.

A fire at the corner of Magazine and Common streets, New Orleans, Friday morning, destroyed \$200,000 worth of property.

WOBURN AND CUMMINGSVILLE DAILY LINE.
On and after Saturday, Nov. 25, 1882 will leave Central House, Woburn, 6.40, 8.15, 12.00 P. M., 3.50, 5.00, 6.20 P. M.
Leave Cummingsville Post Office 7, 8.30, A. M., 12.45, 4.05, 5.30, 6.45 P. M.
Sundays, leave Central House 6.45, 11.45 A. M., 3.50, 5.00, 6.20 P. M.
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Sundays—Leave Woburn at 9.00 A. M., 12 M., 3.50, 5.00, 6.20 P. M.
Leave Stoneham at 9.45 A. M., 12.30 P. M., 5.00, 6.20 P. M.
Dexter Carter, Supt.

SUMMER TIME TABLE.
North Woburn Street Railroad.
Horse leave No. Woburn at 6.00, 7.00, 8.20, 9.40, 11.35 A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.30, 5.40, 7.00 P. M.
Sundays at 8.50 P. M.
Leave Woburn Central at 6.20, 7.20, 9.00, 10.35, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 3.50, 5.00, 6.10, 7.30, 8.10, P. M.
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that the human mind is

not a blank slate, but

that it is filled with

thoughts and feelings

which are the result of

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

BAD FOR COUNTRY TRADE.

A FAIR START.

At the banquet given by the Fifth District Civil Service Reform Association at Young's Hotel, Boston, on Tuesday evening, Edward D. Hayden, Esq., of Woburn, was elected one of the Vice-Presidents, and W. V. Kellen, Esq., of Woburn, was chosen a member of the Executive Committee. The banquet was rather a grand affair at which several able speeches were made.

LOCAL NEWS.

ident of the fire alarm. He has
 en in the place a long while.

John Taffe, a man 50 years of age and who has a second wife, attempted to kill his wife Thursday noon by cutting her throat. It seems that the trouble was of a domestic nature, and as a fit of passion he caught her by the throat and did the deed with a common pocketknife. Taffe has worked in Woonum for a number of years, and at one time owned considerable property. Officer Welsh was notified of the assault by a son of the injured woman and he, with the chief, went to the house on 14th street, and after providing for the Taffes' arrest and summoning a doctor, took Taffe into custody. He will appear in court this morning.

knowing that a desperate attempt to enter into the office of the Agent, where the tickets, books and money were kept. The first attempt was made on the ticket window in front, but that was also a failure. The door leading from the ladies' room to the large hall was found open, so also that leading from the hall to the gentlemen's room. The latter showed unmistakable marks of having been forced. The depot restaurant was next invaded. The door leading into it was opened and the bolt torn out showing that the thieves were not very particular about covering their tracks. A box of cigars, candy, a set of pennies and other things were taken, and a general overhauling of the showcases made. The burglars did not get away with much plunder, but they went in for a big strike.

—An adjourned meeting of the board of Selectmen was held on last Monday at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of disposing of petitions for licenses to sell intoxicating liquors. Petitions were received from John Johnson and others, from E. E. Thompson and others, from H. C. Boynton and others, asking that the fees for such licenses might be fixed at three times the amount of the minimum. A petition from John Warren, Johnson and three others asked for an increase of license fees, and that all inferior entrances to liquor saloons and bars be closed. A remonstrance was received from O. J. Hart and others against granting licenses to applicants in Union street except to Moore & Morris. Personal objections were made

the appreciation of their skill and handiwork by the people, as well as satisfied with the success of their undertaking. There was a pleasant surprise for every one who entered the hall, for instead of the customary show and time-worn exhibition a scene of rare loveliness met their gaze. Arranged around the walls of the room were booths, tents, stands, and other artistic exhibitions of elegant things, while the stage was occupied by plants, flowers, a piano and flags. The first booth on the left on entering the north door was devoted to art, and was presided over by handsome ladies whose rich and beautiful costumes harmonized with the exquisite products of the artist's brush, pencil, and ladies' delicate fingers. Here displayed with rare taste were paintings, drawings and fine needlework, among the former of which we noticed a gem from the brush of Benjamin Champney, the well known artist. This booth attracted a great many visitors, but whether it was the ladies in their unique attire, the works of art, or all combined, we cannot say. It was a great financial success. Following the art gallery was the Indian wigwag true to life, with papoosees running about in front of the tent, and the adults occupied inside manufacturing

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, May 1, Patrick Sheehan, 71 years.

In Woburn, May 1, Sarah J. McLaughlin, 10 years.

In Woburn, May 1, John McLean, 3 years.

In Winchester, April 27, Sadie P. Knowles 29 years, 3 months, 21 days.

In Winchester, April 28, Philip C. Cutter, 16 years 10 months 21 days.

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Winchester only.

WINCHESTER.
The Assessor is on the war-path. Look out for him.

James Houston is building a house at the Centre opposite the railroad station.

Mr. D. N. Skillings is going back to "Rangely" to live. I don't blame him, for it is nice.

However it may be up your year spring is fairly open here, and things are exceedingly lovely.

Deacon Carleton is going to fit up in livable shape the Black Horse Tavern. He will find renters enough.

Mr. Bishop having resigned as depot master here Mr. Charles W. Wardwell has been appointed to fill the vacant place, and taken up the burden.

Philip Champney, son of C. A. Cutting, and a member of the High School, aged 16 years, died quite suddenly last Saturday. He was a bright, promising lad, and his death is deeply lamented.

Our community mourns the loss of an estimable lady in the death of Mrs. Sadie F. wife of Mr. Charles S. Knowles, who died last Friday after a brief illness. She was an excellent woman and greatly esteemed by all.

It is surprising how quickly and quietly we all settle down into the harness after Town Meeting is over. Considering the excitement prior to its being held the calm is remarkable. And what is better, everybody seems to be well satisfied with things as they are.

Next Sunday the quartette will sing at the Congregational Church by which they have been engaged for the year. The new organist, Mr. John W. Nickerson, will also begin his services at the same time and place. The Church propose to have good music hereafter.

The B. & L. R. Co. are making reductions all along the line. I hear that they have reduced the price of season tickets at Winchester to \$14 a quarter, and a material cut-down in commutation tickets is to be made. It will be hailed with delight. The company are beginning to see where their true interests lie.

I was a little taken aback over the result of the base ball game last Saturday between a Woburn nine and our home club. The Woburnites were victorious to some extent, although if the game had been played out, which was stopped on account of rain and the lateness of the hour, nobody can say what the issue might have been. But the Woburn boys were not better players but they understood each other more effectively than our lads did.

Mr. Conant, a promising young Boston journalist, and a resident of this town, narrowly escaped being thrown by a horse was riding in town one day this week. He had a long and severe struggle with the animal, but came off victorious. [Star.] I should judge to see any common piece of horse-flesh undertake to get the better of a Boston reporter, especially of Charlie Conant: it would be, rather a "cold day" for the horse-flesh when he tried it.

The children of the Unitarian society had a happy time on May Day. They had a May Day festival in the church on Tuesday afternoon and a right merry time they all enjoyed. The pastor of the church contributed to the interest of the occasion by an exhibition of pictures with a magic lantern with which the little ones were delighted. After this there was dancing around the May-pole in good old English country style. The whole concluded with a repast which was highly enjoyed by the merry, happy party.

The recently elected officers of the Winchester Mutual Benefit Association are: President; D. N. Skillings; Vice President, G. F. Hawley; Secretary, W. A. Snow; Treasurer, G. S. Stratton; Directors, H. J. Wible, E. A. Smith, H. F. Clark, S. C. Small, H. C. Miller. As its name indicates the Association has for its object the benefit of its members, which is done by each member paying one dollar to the heirs of a deceased member. Many organizations of the kind are in active operation all over the country and are proving very beneficial.

Up to date Mr. Sumner Richardson has got in the last blow on the fish cons-

missioner business, if that is what they call it. He is now quite a piece ahead of Mr. Brackett, but that is no sign as to how it will end. Mr. B. is entitled to the final throw, and maybe it will be a perfect mile-kick in its consequences—nobody knows. But whoever picks Sumner Richardson up for a flat or a crank will find out his mistake right away. He is a whole three-cattle team with a steer to spare in a controversy, and almost always comes out ahead, because he is almost always right.

The Good Will Club closed its season of very interesting meetings on the evening of the 19th with the best one of the series. The exercises consisted of a piano solo by Miss Alice Spicer; talks by several members on familiar subjects: Mr. William Morse on potatoes; Miss A. Perkins on rice; Miss Jessie Baldwin on macaroni; Miss Alice R. Symmes on tomatoes. Then came a laughable farce, called "The Sleeping Car," the characters in which were taken by Mrs. J. H. Brown, Miss Annie Winsor, Lewis Parkhurst, William Webb, J. P. Dwinell, R. Winsor, S. R. Symmes. The entertainment was well attended and "took" first rate.

BURLINGTON.
INJURED.—Mr. Edward Reed fell from a scaffold in his barn, last week, and was considerably lamed and injured.

PARISH MEETING.—The parish held their annual meeting, Tuesday evening, Samuel Sewall was chosen clerk; W. H. Walker and J. C. Woodman, parish committee for the ensuing year.

LITERARY UNION.—On Tuesday evening of last week, the Literary Union held a social meeting at the house of Mr. W. H. Walker. The treasurer, Miss Leila J. Walker, gave a very satisfactory report of the winter's financial work, and several new members were added.

SCHOOL REPORT.—The report of the school committee for the year ending March 22, 1883, made its appearance, this week. There was but one change in teachers, during the year. The number of persons in the town between the ages of five and fifteen was one hundred and seventeen. The "Roll of Honor" has a goodly showing of names proving that the scholars generally appreciate their privileges. One school-house has been renovated, and one is now in the process of repair.

LITERARY NOTICES.

The May number of THE MANHATTAN MAGAZINE entitled that publication to be ranked among the most popular of the highest class. The opening article, "A Study of Hamlet," by Henry C. Pender, is a fresh, thoughtful and suggestive contribution to the literature of Hamlet, illustrated by a scene from the play, of which the frontispiece is a beautiful reproduction of the Play Scene, after Macbeth's famous painting in the British National Gallery, while a full page Ophelia is a admirable. The other illustrated articles are Carfax, with twelve illustrations. The Descendants of Louis Philippe, with twelve excellent portraits from recent photographs. Metamorphosis is a skillfully wrought story by Harriet Prescott Spofford. Set Not Thy Foot on Graves is the title of an ingenious story, by Julian Hawthorne; and a third excellent story is Margaret and Lucille, by Edna Dean Proctor. There are poems by Richard Henry Stoddard, Edgar Poe, Geo. P. Lathrop, Edith M. Thomas and others. Three thoroughly readable papers are "A School of Urbanity," by Dr. F. C. Valenier; "Round the Table" (gold and silver), by G. H. Sherburne Hull; and "The Noble Red Man in Brazil," by Frank D. Y. Carpenter. A notice of new books is recent literature. Town Talk discusses pointedly current topics, and Salmagundi has some amusing bits. The number is well put together, affording various and abundant intellectual pleasure. The typography, presswork and make-up of the issue are unexceptionable.

The Biographer is a promising venture monthly periodical literature. It gives a large number of concise, but by no means dry, biographical sketches of men and women in all departments of activity. Subjects are chosen with the view to gratify the public curiosity for particulars of the life and career of people whose names are appearing in the public prints. In a word, the Biographer is timely. The sketches are ably written, and their interest is heightened by accompanying faithful and well-executed portraits. In quality of paper and printing and tastefulness of appearance, THE BIOGRAPHER is among the best periodicals we have seen. We anticipate that its enterprising publisher will be rewarded with a large sale of its unique magazine, which supplies need hitherto felt. THE BIOGRAPHER is sent to any address at 25 cents a copy, or \$2.50 a year; and to foreign addresses \$3 a year. New York: 23 Park Row.

GOLDEN DAYS for May is a number that will delight every lover of chaste literature and the beautiful in art. Its generous installment of pages is filled with stories, tales, poetry, etc., suited not only to the younger people but to all ages, while the Sunday School lessons are full, exhaustive and most excellent and very popular magazine. The May illustrations are numerous and superb. The best artists are employed on their production and they are a credit to the craft. GOLDEN DAYS is published by James E. Elverson, Philadelphia.

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Political.

It is said that the President refuses to interfere in the quarrels of the Maryland Republicans. It is a wise conclusion.

A Massachusetts politician has been telling a New York paper that Governor Butler has another sensation as soon as he gets through with Tewksbury. Of course he will: having an uncontrollable desire to keep before the public, his Excellency will not fail to improve the shining hours.

The Pendleton Democrats of Ohio will centre on Judge Geddes for Governor, while the anti Pendleton faction will support Gen. Durbin Ward. Pendleton's friends are confident that he will control the convention.

The Whitehall (N. Y.) Times, has the exclusive yet thrilling news that the mention of Mr. Tilden's name as a Presidential candidate "even now sends a chill of horror across the Republican leaders and causes them to fall into paroxysms of frenzy."

Lowell Citizen: How much capital has Governor Butler made out of the Tewksbury affair? The flash is all over and nothing remains but smoke.

The Springfield Union calls the attention of the Globe to the fact that Mr. Frank B. Sanborn hasn't been a Republican for many years, having been a Tilden man in 1876 and a Greeley man in 1872. In other words, Mr. Sanborn was a pretty venerable Democrat ere the Globe became a convert.

The Hour: "Mr. Carter Harrison of Chicago is the O'Donovan Rossa of the Democratic party."

The Vicksburg Herald (Dem.) "agrees with the Louisville Courier-Journal that Protectionists are not wanted in the Democratic party." On the other hand, the Mobile Register sees in this warfare upon Protectionists by Democratic papers the elements of disorganization and defeat.

The Columbus State Journal, discussing the work accomplished by the Republican majority of the Ohio Legislature at the recent session, says that "upon the tangible results of the work of the majority of the Sixty-fifth General Assembly, the Republican party can go before the people of Ohio with full faith that the voters of the State will express their satisfaction with the work accomplished and their continued confidence in the party as worthy of the trust reposed in it, by again placing in its hands the control of the next Legislature."

John Kelly told the Philadelphia Times a few days ago that the Tilden men and not Tammany Hall slaughtered General Hancock in 1880. The remark of the Sun after the October election to the effect that General Hancock is a man who weighs 250 pounds was notice to the Tilden men to defect from him.

It has been noticed the Louisville Courier-Journal is not denouncing protectionist Democrats as tariff robbers so constantly and loudly as it did a few weeks since.

The Chicago Inter-Ocean observes, with sarcastic malignancy: "A word to the wise is sufficient, but you have to keep talking to a Democrat."

Governor Cleveland of New York, while declining to veto a bill increasing the number of Judges of the Supreme Court, sends a note with the bill, which becomes a law without his signature, in which he expresses the opinion that the Judges provided for by the bill are not necessary.

The Macen (Ga.) Telegraph bluntly expresses the opinion that the chief function of the Democratic Congressional Committee for the past twenty years have been to spend money, to give away the secrets of the party and to supply Republican clerks and hangers about Washington with light work and good pay during the campaign.

South Carolina in 1882, according to the Comptroller General's report, had \$10,000,000 less of taxable property than she had in 1872.

The succession to the seat in the senate now occupied by General Wade Hampton is thought to lie between General James Connor and Charles H. Simonton of Charleston, Chief Justice Simpson of Columbia and W. B. Wilson of New York.

Hon. F. O. Prince wants the National Democratic Convention held in Boston. He writes to a friend:

"We have never held a National Convention in Boston, and in view of this fact, and that Boston is now an assured Democratic city; that it has an excellent hall suitable for holding an audience of 10,000; that it has ample hotel accommodations; and that the weather in the season when the convention will probably be held is likely to be pleasant and cool, I think the National Committee should give our claim for the honor their serious consideration."

The Herald, in alluding to the Ku-Klux threat to take the life of the late Greenback candidate for Governor in South Carolina, very aptly remarks that the Democrats of that State no longer have occasion to call anybody or drive Republicans from the State to maintain political supremacy, as the eight ballot box election law acts like a charm to disfranchise colored Republicans.

What if a Presidential election or the control of the House of Representatives should turn upon the vote of South Carolina under these circumstances?

In a letter to a Missouri Democrat, ex-Mayor Prince declares that the present tariff is not satisfactory, and that it is the duty of the party in the next Congress to change it so that it will be one for revenue only, with a view to incidental protection. It is noticed that Mr. Prince makes no reference to our Democratic Governor.

Notes.

A little girl of seven years died in New York on Friday from the effects of skipping rope. On Wednesday evening she told her mother that she had jumped the rope 200 times, and her head ached. The doctor said she died of coma and congestion of the brain. She was not a strong child.

"So you don't get turned out on Hastings street last night?" queried one colored woman of another as they met on Monroe avenue yesterday. "Yes, de house don burned to de groun," was the reply. "Shoo! Wall, dar's one consolashun 'bout it, Mrs. Beber, you has saved 'nuff to begin spring house cleanin' on!"—Detroit Free Press.

According to a Montreal paper, Mr. Lawson, engineer of the Saskatchewan Mining Co., while examining the company's coal areas, discovered the remains of an ancient forest at a depth of over two hundred feet from the top of the ravine. The strata are plainly visible, and are about two feet in height, and look very much as though the forest had been laid low by the woodman. In addition to this interesting discovery, the fossil remains of a gigantic reptile were found under the coal in a stratum of light sandstone. The skeleton is over thirty feet in length, and is partly exposed, the remainder being firmly imbedded in the earthy matter.

The New Orleans Times-Democrat is alarmed by the success of Mormon missionaries at the South, and asks if it is not the duty of the Southern States to protect the ignorant masses from the false and dangerous doctrines which are being secretly disseminated and winning hundreds of converts. It declares: "Unless this is done the South is likely to face a very troublesome Mormon question in the early future—a much worse exodus than that of the negro laborers to Kansas, an emigration of the poorer classes of the whites to Utah."

The Business Situation.

There has been little change during the past week in the business situation. The weather throughout the Northern States has been adapted to winter rather than spring, and even farther south unusual cold with frosts is reported. As usual, the peach crop has been ruined in some States, but this has become the regular report for this season of the year. Reports from the business centres indicate that the trade in leading articles of merchandise and reasonable goods is simply good, but not so marked as to be termed brisk. The crop reports are more favorable than a month ago, the damage to winter wheat being far less than was estimated a month ago—a fact which, it is said, has ruined several speculative schemes. Seeding has been going on rapidly in the West during the past week. The outlook for the iron trade is not improving and is not likely to improve, the trade in leading articles of merchandise and reasonable goods is simply good, but not so marked as to be termed brisk. 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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE TEWKSBURY TRIAL.

It is not an easy matter to state with accuracy the present status of the the Tewksbury Almshouse investigation. So much bewildering correspondence has recently passed between the Governor and public officers that the real issues have been partially lost sight of and the thread of the interesting narrative broken. The Governor's letters have been directed chiefly to the Attorney General, Frank Sanborn, the Board of Health, etc., and other officials, in all of whom he found rather more than his match in epistolary correspondence. He has received several pretty sharp pen-thrusts from these gentlemen, and his increased irritation in conducting the investigation shows that they have not failed to penetrate his epidermis. Attorney General Sherman writes the Governor that the voluminous correspondence "has outgrown its usefulness" and he declines further contributions to it from his office.

Superintendent Marsh has been removed, the Trustees relegated to back seats, and the management of the Almshouse placed in the hands of the Board of Health, Lunacy and Charity. There is no money to run the institution with at present, and Gov. Butler's offer to carry it on personally, furnish funds, etc., has been respectfully declined, as its acceptance would have no warrant in law, and if there could be found such warrant, a well-grounded distrust of his peculiar methods of conducting public affairs would naturally deter the authorities from placing the institution in his hands.

So far as the testimony in the investigation is concerned the prosecution appears to be "running to emptiness." Very little of any interest has been submitted for some days past, and it is reported that Gov. Butler is about through with his side of the case. We should hope so certainly, for the public have had more than enough of an investigation that might have been inaugurated and prosecuted in a way very different from what it has been but for the Governor's overweening desire to get up a row with Republican authorities, advertise his presidential boom, and make himself "solid" with "the boys" for next fall's campaign.

THE CARLETON MURDER.

Roger Amoro was arrested a few days ago at his home in Nova Scotia for the murder of Mrs. Carleton in Watertown some weeks since. The detectives claim that they have a strong case against him, but that of course remains to be seen. He was the person met in Somerville or East Cambridge on the evening of the murder, and was subsequently seen and particularly noticed by persons when returning to his home in Nova Scotia. It is known that he was at work in Lincoln and quit there about the time of the murder. But it must also be borne in mind that the detectives have a good deal at stake, and under such circumstances are skillful in manipulating circumstantial evidence. It looks more as though they had caught a crank rather than the murderer of Mrs. Carleton.

Medford is making a final effort to save the famous Crackdock mansion in that village as a relic of ancient days. The house is about two hundred and fifty years old and as sound as when built. More history clusters around it than any other building in Middlesex county and the patriotism of the people ought not to allow it to become numbered among the things that were. If sufficient money to preserve it cannot be raised in Medford, citizens of the county should draw their pocket-books and contribute the necessary amount. There was a good picture of the ancient mansion in the last Medford Mercury and a strong appeal for its preservation.

An insane man by the name of Richard Brennan, entered the office in Boston of Rufus R. Wade, Esq., Chief of the District Police, last Monday afternoon and after a few words shot that official producing severe but not necessarily fatal wounds. One shot took effect in the right shoulder, and the other struck the left elbow and passed up to the shoulder. Mr. Wade was taken to his home in East Cambridge, the bullets found, and he is now doing well. Brennan has been an inmate of the Insane Asylum at Danvers and is a dangerous man to be allowed to run at large. Chief Wade had a very narrow escape from death.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
Dr. DeWitt's Kidney & Bladder Pills.
S. A. Fowler—For Sale.
J. H. Hardy—Mortgage Sale.
First Bank—Statement.
G. P. Brown & Co.—Mortgage Sale.
Wm. Wint & Co.—Mortgage Sale.
T. C. Evans—Mortgage Sale.
Read the change in Mr. Frank Pierce's card.
Mr. Bernard McHugh is erecting a building on his lot on Main street.
Howard Strout frames pictures very handsomely and at low prices.

—The Phalanx went to Boston last evening for a drill with their Regiment at the Casino.

—Mr. Arthur Fowle of the Boston Globe will take up his residence in Boston next autumn.

—The Unitarian Society held their parish meeting Tuesday evening. New by-laws were adopted.

—C. A. Smith & Son have changed their card this week, and the new one looks nice and speaks well.

—Marshall Fessenden has sold land and buildings on Sherman Place to Abbie A. Ingerson for \$1100.

—The late warm weather has had a mollifying effect on buds and leaves. Trees begin to look quite verdant.

—Mr. Ed. F. Johnson, Clerk of the District Court, will soon move into his new house on Highland street.

—There was quite a heavy frost last Sunday night, and the meadows looked white on Monday morning.

—J. P. Crane & Co. are having a large addition to their carrying shop built. Mr. James W. DeLoria is doing the work.

—Mr. George H. Conn and his son George, clerk in the postoffice, went to New York last evening, the former on insurance business.

—A pleasant party was given by Miss Julia Salmon at the residence of Mr. Thomas Salmon on Canal street Wednesday evening.

—Fred E. Soles has had his new handsome large named "City of Woburn." It was built in East Cambridge and will carry 30 persons.

—Of course nothing exact is known, but the prospect is that the population of Woburn will be found by the Assessors to reach fully 12,000.

—The face of Mr. Leonard W. Parks, the machinist, was fairly wreathed in smiles when he met us the other day. It is a girl, and a good one.

—We have received from Leonard Thompson, Esq., who, with his wife, is with the Raymond California excursionists, western papers, for which we return thanks.

—The first laying of the season in this village was done by Mr. Francis, Janitor of the Public Library, on the Library grounds last Saturday. He cut quite a swath.

—Messrs. Copeland, Bowser & Co., have made an important change in their notice this week to which public attention is called. It tells the whole story better than we can.

—Considerable real genuine late spring weather has been vouchsafed to us this week, and consequently vegetation fairly leaped forth and laughed. Give us some more of it.

—When the inside facts are all disclosed it will probably be found that neither the Water Board nor the Town has any business with the portrait of the late Bowen Buckman.

—On Wednesday Smith & Son sold carpets to go to Gardiner, Maine. A tour of the Boston establishments failed to find prices as favorable as those of Smith & Son, hence the sale.

—The statement of the Woburn National Bank makes a good showing in the line of deposits. The total is \$103,466.37, which, taking a dull season of the year into account, is big.

—At 11 o'clock on Tuesday evening the fire companies were summoned to extinguish a brush fire on Lexington street. Later in the night a second alarm was sounded for the same fire.

—The attention of the proprietors of tanneries is called to the advertisement of Mr. S. A. Fowle in this paper. They may learn something to their advantage by perusing the same.

—The Woburn High School Baseball Club were beaten by the Malden boys last Saturday by eight majority. It will do the Club good to get the starch taken out of them once in awhile.

—Mr. John C. Buck, manager of the Boston Clothing Company's store, and his clerks are busy selling off a very fine stock of spring clothing, underwear, gents' furnishing goods, hats, caps &c.

—The monthly arrival of Watson's Illuminator is a boon to any family, or editor's room. The May number is brimful of mirth, and the best antidote for the "Blues" of anything in America.

—It is to be hoped that the large manufacturing establishment for which the Woburn V. J. A. is working will conclude to locate here. If it can be fetched the Association will succeed, for they mean business.

—The town has had posted notices offering a reward of \$200 for evidence sufficient to convict any person maliciously setting fires in Woburn during the current year. Incendiaries will please take due notice.

—Laugh and make all the fun of it you please the fact remains that the hand organ is a boon to any well regulated village. There is no music that can eclipse a good skillfully played hand organ in the opinion of the writer of these few humble and unworthy lines.

—Now is there?

—A gentleman who resides on Pleasant street protests that without sprinkling life will be a burden west of the Common this summer. Why can't something be done? Could, if the Water Board didn't ask all out doors for water.

—Mr. Eli Cooper wants the pipe in the watering trough at the far side of the Common raised a quarter of an inch so the English sparrows can drink without breaking their necks. He don't care anything about the American sparrows.

—The meeting of the Woman's Club last Friday afternoon was largely attended. The able essay of Mrs. Diaz was listened to with pleasure and profit. The next meeting of the Club will be held on Friday afternoon next in the Baptist church.

—A very successful complimentary concert was given to Mr. John D. Doherty in Lyceum Hall last Tuesday evening. It consisted of music, readings by Miss Hamill of Stoneham and Will F. Kenney of Woburn, and closed with a pleasant dance.

—Mr. Charlie A. Jones has got the grounds of his residence on Warren street fixed up in fine shape. The stone work—curbing, posts, etc.—is substantial and handsome. There is no more attractive or pleasanter home in Woburn than Mr. Jones's.

—Mr. Forest Hooper is a first class plumber, and is doing a good business. He is the successor of Buell & Co., and occupies the store vacated by them. All business entrusted to him will be promptly attended to and in the very best manner. Read his card.

—Additional fire alarm boxes can be had by application to Chief Engineer Littlefield, or the Board of Engineers, if on examination they may be deemed necessary. The system contemplates more boxes, the number of which is only to be limited by the requirements of the service.

—Copies of "Picturesque Woburn" have been delivered to the subscribers in this town and every one is highly pleased with it. We have described this work heretofore, and can only add that the finished drawing fully meets our expectations. Besides being a handsome picture it is very valuable as a map of the town.

—Mr. Alex. Grant, who, we are glad to know, is rapidly recovering from his recent severe illness, has a change of card in this paper, to which attention is called. He keeps a prime stock of gent's suitings, furnishing goods, etc., and by nobody are better or more fashionable suits turned out than by Grant. His prices are always reasonable.

—The Woburn Advertiser informs us that there have been fifty-two snow storms this present season. The one we referred to last week, it says, was the forty-sixth. According to this statement there have been six snow storms since last Tuesday week.

—[Reading Chronicle]. Pay no attention to what the Advertiser says about snow storms; no reliance can be placed on its statements concerning them.

—The Union Square Theatre Company are drawing big houses at the always popular Park Theatre, Boston, Abbey & Schofield, lessees, this week. "The Ranters" has proved a big card, and other highly attractive plays are in preparation. Matinee tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Those of our people who have visited the Park this week have been more than satisfied with the rare excellence of the entertainments.

—At 10 o'clock on Monday evening the building occupied by Lord & Bradley for the manufacture of belt knives and currier blades adjoining the Norris box and planing mill was discovered to be on fire and an alarm was rung at box 62. The firemen were promptly on the ground, and in a few moments had a floor pouring in on the fire, which saved the building. Loss on building, \$100; on machinery, \$600. The property belongs to Mr. Pratt of Malden.

—Early on Sunday morning last Mrs. Lizzie Hempwell, wife of Mr. John Hempwell, who lived over Estabrook's bakery on Main street, was found dead in the entry at the foot of the stairs leading to her rooms. From having the key of the outside door in her hand when found it is supposed she came down stairs to lock the door and when near the bottom either sat down or fell and immediately expired. She had been troubled for some time with heart diseases, of which Dr. Winsor, who held a legal examination Sunday, said she died. She was some 35 or 40 years old.

—We learn that Mr. Mark Allen is making satisfactory progress in securing advertisements and subscriptions for his proposed new Woburn Directory, and that the enterprise will be a success. It ought to be, for a new Directory is very much needed, particularly as the last one by Trott is an imperfect and unsafe guide of the town, and was so even when first issued. It was a gloven piece of work, whereas Mr. Allen's will be full, complete and accurate. By the way, we hear that Trott contemplates the publication of another Directory of Woburn and is now preparing for it. If we were in his case we wouldn't try it again.

—An interesting item in a newspaper is worth a mile of advertising on a fence.—Reading Chronicle. Yes; or a cartload of circulars strewn for a like distance.—East Boston Argus. Or an armful of "doggers" thrown into the houses.—[Reading Chronicle.]

—A regular meeting of the Trustees of the Woburn Public Library was held on last Monday evening, at which the Board was organized as follows:—Edward D. Hayden was chosen Chairman; S. Frankfort Trull, Secretary and Auditor. William R. Cutter was appointed Librarian, Miss Emily F. Pollard, Assistant Librarian, and John W. Francis, Janitor. An abstract of the title to the land on which the Library stands, prepared by John Warren Johnson, Esq., was received and accepted. The question of opening the Art Gallery and Reading-room of the Library on Sunday afternoons, which was informally talked over, was postponed to a future meeting.

—An exhibition by members of the Cummings School classes was given last Friday afternoon. The exercises were held in the large hall, and was attended by a goodly number of the parents and friends of the school. The following programme was carried out:

1. Song by the School. "Summer Song."
2. Declaration. "Grandmothers."
3. Piano Solo. Grace Cummings.
4. Dialogue. "The Birds." 8 girls and 5 boys.
5. Five-minute exercise in sight singing. Conducted by E. Cutter, Jr.
6. Recitation. "Stranger in the Pew." Annie Richardson.
7. Calisthenics by 15 girls. Gerrie Arnold, leader.
8. Boy's Composition on Snakes. John Feeney.
9. Piano Solo. "The Olden Days." Belle Matthews.
10. Recitation. "Blessings on the House." Gerrie Arnold.
11. Declaration. "Caring a Cold." Harry Weyer.
12. Dumb-bell exercise by 15 boys. Otto Merrill, leader.
13. Recitation. "Destruction of Assyria."
14. Song by School. "Our Merry School Days."

—We have been handed a copy of the Albany (Ga.) News and Advertiser which contains a graphic account of the terrible cyclone that visited that section on April 23 and proved so disastrous to life and property. Mr. W. S. Whitford, a son to Dea. Whitford of this place, was at the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. F. F. Putney, at Hardway during the tornado and witnessed the destruction it wrought. He described the scene to the paper named as terrific and terrible. Mr. Putney was a sufferer to the extent of \$3,500. The following buildings on his place were swept away: eleven cabins, grist-mill, gin-house and screw, blacksmith shop, carriage house, sugar house, stockade for cattle and mules, and a dwellinghouse. His own residence and store were saved.

—Life isn't all gloom. There are sunny spots scattered here and there along the road. With some the pleasant places come at longer intervals than with others perhaps, but there are none of us who do not at times find something to be glad about. We found it so the other day—found that there are a few things at least in life worth living for. A gentleman entered our office, and looking up who should we see standing before us, as large as life and three times as natural, but our old and very dear friend, Ralph A. Tenney, Esq., of Chicago! To say that we were very much surprised and as glad as a mortal is capable of being would be drawing it too mild by half—it wouldn't begin to express our feelings—we were overjoyed at meeting our old chum again. His visit was brief, but during the stay whole quivers of interrogation points were hurled back and forth between us, and the answers came thick and fast and a good many of them. Tongues skipped lively over events from the early days on the Illinois prairies to the present, warm greetings exchanged, good-byes and God-bless you said, and Ralph was gone, and then we thought we had enjoyed one of the real sunny spots on life's thoroughfare.

—John Taffe was arraigned in the District Court on last Friday morning for cutting his wife's throat on the day before, and pleading not guilty was sent down to await the action of the grand jury. The escape of Mrs. Taffe from instant death was a narrow one, due to the fact that Taffe raised the skin of her throat while doing the cutting. When Chief Conn and Officer Welsh arrived on the scene the woman was bleeding profusely while the husband, having come to realize to some extent the enormity of the deed, sat crying over her. He could give no explanation of his conduct and wondered why he should have done such an awful thing as to cut his wife's throat. He seemed to feel terribly over it and when taken to jail wept bitterly all the way down. From what we can learn rum was at the bottom of this crime. Both husband and wife are addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors to excess. Up to a year or two ago she was strongly opposed to her husband's drinking liquor and never took any herself. But she finally yielded to the temptation that was constantly before her, and then trouble came. Taffe has been going from bad to worse for some years until at last he has reached the bottom. It is probable that on Thursday there had been some difficulty between them, and cross words being flung at each other, Taffe, in a moment of rum frenzy, seized his wife, cut her throat, and came very near ending her existence. Rum was at the bottom of it, and some man in this town knows who sold Taffe the rum that drove him crazy and urged him on to commit the terrible deed. Who is the man?

—An interesting item in a newspaper is worth a mile of advertising on a fence.—Reading Chronicle. Yes; or a cartload of circulars strewn for a like distance.—East Boston Argus. Or an armful of "doggers" thrown into the houses.—[Reading Chronicle.]

—An Indianapolis babe was bitten, in teasing a pet Maltese kitten, before a day ended, St. Jacobs Oil mended, And with it mothers are smitten.

A hunter who lives at Bear Run, Hurt his arm by the kick of a gun, The hurt it did spoil, But St. Jacobs Oil Cured him before swelling begun.

Gold is not as valuable as health; if you have lost the latter, recover it by taking L. F. Atwood's Bitters. "L. F."

The druggist who hesitates now is lost for the winter. He should sling together some sweet oil and liquorice and bring out his cough cure at once. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup does not pay him enough profit.

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And thereby hangs a tale—a true one too. About four weeks ago we met one of our merchants on the street and noticing that he looked sad and a good deal down at the mouth we kindly inquired the cause of his troubles. "Trouble enough," he replied. "Last week I came to be properly distributed throughout the town a large stock of circulars setting forth important facts respecting my carpet trade, and would you believe it, sir, not a lip have I heard from nor made sale of a single carpet on the strength of them." "Of course!" we replied, "and you never will. Circulars are worthless trash, a fact which we thought you learned years ago." "I did; but, like a fool, I gave them another trial, and—no sales." "Now," said we, "allow us to put three or four lines at the head of our local columns concerning your carpet business, and see what the result will be. We want to demonstrate to you and every Woburn merchant the true method of advertising." The four lines were inserted as proposed, and repeated in substance the next week. Twice within a few days that merchant has informed us that he never before had so satisfactory a trade in carpets as in the last four weeks. The moral is obvious: this merchant sees it, and we hope others will. N. B.—We would rather have two lines of advertising in a respectable newspaper than cartloads of circulars, doggers, handbills, etc. And men who have reduced advertising to a science say the same.

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A farmer had seven daughters, and but little else to him. The girls all had good apprentices, and times were very bad. He belted the country paper to say in his cellar's mind. He had hidden, being a miser. Seven cups of pure, bright gold. He thought he knew human nature, that farmer, and he smiled. When down the seventh rope ladder he saw close his seventh child.

But it's extremely doubtful if at the time he foresaw their return with his fourteen grand-children, And seven sons-in-law.

—Times-Star.

Why They Did Not Bath.

A story is told of an amusing incident of Phillips Brooks' recent stay in Italy. In company with H. H. Richardson and Mr. McKiever, Mr. Brooks visited the Lido. As they were lying in the sand Mr. Brooks proposed that they should all take a bath. The others preferred remaining in their comfortable positions, and Mr. Brooks alone hunted up the bathtub man and asked for a suit. Now we all know that his admirers say he is as good as he is because he is every inch a king, and there are so many inches. With secret perturbation the man overlooked again and again his stock of suits for one that would fit his customer.

"Really, sir, I have a suit here somewhere that would just fit you exactly, sir; but I can't seem to find it. Very strange, sir; 'twas here this morning. Oh, here is one; this will fit you perfectly, sir, I think."

With this he produced a really good-sized garment, but one that proved to be about eighteen inches more or less too small for the would-be bather.

"Why, really, sir, you must be much larger than you look. I never have the slightest trouble in fitting any one who came to us. I'm really very sorry, sir. I don't understand it at all. Now there was a suit here this morning that—"

With the sounds of excuse and protest floating after him, Mr. Brooks returned to his companions, and with them enjoyed the slight humor of the case. Now Mr. McKiever, like Mr. Brooks, is fully up to the Doone standard that Blackmore tells us of, "six feet one by two feet, all but two inches." Without a smile he presented himself to the bath keeper, who was still muttering to himself, and requested a suit. The only effect was to make the man go through the same act of search, surprise and discomfiture as before, closing his harangue with the same assurance: "Really, sir, it is something that has never happened before. I really don't understand it."

When he returned and told exactly the same story as had Mr. Brooks, Mr. Richardson, who is more massive than either, changed his mind, and declared himself anxious for a bath. As he approached the bath-house, the still murmur of excuses of the man died away. He proffered no speeches, he made no search, but leaned weakly against his shanty, and demanded with a manner of interested dismay:—

"Are there any more of you, and in Heaven's name where did you come from?"—*Newton Graphic*.

Treating Balty Horses.

A society for the prevention of cruelty to animals recommends the following rules for the treatment of balky horses:—

Pat the horse upon the neck, examine the harness carefully first on one side and then on the other, speak encouragingly while doing so, then jump into the wagon and give the word go; generally he will obey.

A teamster in Maine says he can start the worst balky horse by taking him out of the shafts and making him go around in a circle. If the first dance of this kind does not cure him the second will be sure to do it.

To cure a balky horse simply place your hand over the horse's nose and shut off the wind till he wants to go; then let him go.

The brains of horses seem to entertain but one idea at a time; thus continued whipping only confirms his stubborn resolve. If you can by any means give him a new subject to think of you will have no trouble in starting him. A simple remedy is to take a couple of turns of stout twine around the fore leg, just below the knee, and tie in a bow knot. At the first check he will go dancing off, and after giving a short distance you can out and remove the string to prevent injury to your further drive.

House Plants.

There is no time when house plants need more constant care and watchfulness than now. Dust, insects, dry air and overwatering, are the principal difficulties they have to encounter. By arranging some light covering to put over them when the room is being swept, and an occasional syringing in the bath tub, kitchen sink or elsewhere, supplemented by sponging the leaves of all smooth-leaved plants, this great enemy to plant health may be kept under. Insects may be mainly kept off by hand picking and a brush; if needed apply tobacco water, or arrange a box or barrel in which they may be thoroughly fumigated with tobacco smoke. Dry air can be avoided by providing on the stove or in the furnace, for the abundant evaporation of water. There are but few days in winter when fresh air from without may not be let into the room for awhile at midday, but a cold current should never fall directly on the plants.

Humorous.

A fine fellow—The Judge.

Agricultural item—Never cultivate an acquaintance with a "rake."

A man in the hands of a drunken barber should be glad when he gets out of the tight scrape.

A new song entitled, "We Never Speak As We Pass By." Probably they are both courting the same girl.

"Let every man add a good name to his other capital," quoted the forger when he fixed up a ten-thousand dollar check.

It is said that inhaling the fumes of sulphur cures catarrh. The course that many people pursue in this life gives promise that they won't be afflicted with catarrh in the next.

A gentleman had his boots blacked by one of two boys and gave the shiner a two dollar bill to get changed. After waiting some time he said to the other boy, "Where's your partner?" "Oh," said the youth with a grin, "he's bust up, and I'm his assignee."

Travelers in Canada have not failed of noticing the number of shopkeepers, from chow-chow builders to undertakers, that are purveyors to the royal family; but it remained for a Dundas barber to fling to the breeze a gayly-bedizened banner with the awful device: "The Queen's Barber Shop."

There are sixty-six thousand locomotive in the world. And yet, when you have waited for a train at some desolate way station for five hours you wouldn't believe there were half so many. Sixty-six thousand! And still a man can miss a train as easily as though there was only one engine on the whole continent.

"Which is the deepest, the longest, the broadest and the smallest grave in this church-yard?" said a pedestrian to his companions, while meditating among the tombs in a cemetery.

"Why," was the answer, "it is that in which Miles Button is buried, for it is Miles below the sod, Miles in length, Miles in breadth, and yet after all it is but a Button-hole."

Scraping Trees.

Do we approve of scraping trees? asks a friend of ours. Certainly we do, provided they need it, and one can rarely find an old tree that does not. Aside from the fact that the removal of the old bark-scales breaks up a refuge for various insects, including the woolly aphis, the increased beauty of the tree top repays trouble. There are scrapers made for the purpose; one of these has a triangular blade, another a long blade, with one flat and another slightly concave edge. An old hoe is quite as good a tool as any; cut off the handle to about 18 inches, and do not grind the blade too sharp, as a cutting implement is not needed—only a scraper. On a very old trunk some force may be needed to detach the scales that are partly loose, but on young trees be careful not to wound the healthy bark. The scraping may be done now, next month, or later. When there comes a moist, drizzling spell, go over the scraped bark with good soft soap, made thin enough with water to apply with a brush. Paint over a thick coat of this soap, and leave the rest to the rains. Later in the season the trees will appear as if furnished with mahogany trunks.—*Agriculturist*.

The Clerk Wilted.

A few days before Congress adjourned Senator Harris, of Tennessee, a rather plain-looking old gentleman, went into the room of the Senate committee on claims to look up the case of a Tennessee friend. The clerk of a Senate committee is always a bigger man than the chairman, or the president of the Senate for that matter. The clerk of this particular committee had never seen Harris before, and he did not like the somewhat imperative way in which Harris asked for information about his friend's claim. "Are you the chairman?" he finally asked, sharply. "No," said Harris "I am not." "Are you his attorney?" still more sharply. "No," said Harris as quietly as before, "I am not." "Well, then, what interest have you in the case?" asked the clerk in the high-keyed-George-Bliss tone. "Oh, not much," said the Senator blandly; "but the people down there sent me to the Senate, and as the claimant in this case is my constituent I thought the best I could do was to ask you."

Troubled.

"Dearest, sweetest, what is it? Are you sick? What ails my precious pet?" and the young husband bent tenderly over the graceful form of his blushing bride.

"Oh, Adolphus Edward, it's too dreadful for anything."

"Bad news from home?"

"Worse, worse! Oh, what shall I do?"

"Tell your own darling hubby."

"It's that awful Selina Tarbox, she's—"

"She's what, my precious?"

"She's got a bonnet trimmed exactly like mine, and tomorrow is Sunday!"

Then the afflicted beauty buried her face in her husband's breast and trickled her pearly tears all over his three-dollar shirt.—*Chicago Eye*.

LITERARY NOTICES.

FRANK LESLIE'S SUNDAY MAGAZINE.—For delightful, edifying and instructive reading this magazine is not excelled by any of its contemporaries, and the June number, in these respects, we think, could scarcely be surpassed. The following admirable articles are profusely illustrated: What is the Baptist Church? by Rev. Dr. Chambliss, being a continuation of Religious Denominations in the United States; Among the Natives of the North, (No. 11.) by Lieutenant Schwatka; The Other Side of Greek History, Ancient and Modern, by Rev. Wilber F. Crafts; Sacred Musicians of the Nineteenth Century, by Alfred Hervey; The American Pilgrim in Palestine, by E. De Leon, etc. There are articles by the editor, Dr. Taghans, on the late Alexander H. Stephens and Peter Cooper, and a sermon in the Home Pulpit, The Cloudless Morning. There are also articles, essays, stories and poems by Adelaide Stout, Ida Hervey, Olive M. Birrell, Rev. W. W. De Hart, S. T. B., Mrs. W. Fawcett, Rev. E. Payson Hammond, etc., etc., and most interesting miscellany. Price 25 cents, or \$3 a year, postpaid. Address, Mrs. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Lane, New York.

Medical Curiosities.

Dr. F. C. Valentine, who for several years practiced medicine in Central America, has written of the "medical curiosities" of the home practice in that country. Many of their resorts are curious and amusing, such as the administration of frog soup for all skin diseases, but several are worth quoting because they are probably useful suggestions for anyone, as follows:—

Marshmallows leaves are largely used in poultices and for painful hemorrhoids. A tea of chamomile flowers is considered tonic and useful in indigestion, and when hot in colic, whether stomachic or uterine.

Three ounces of flaxseed in two quarts of water, reduced by boiling to one quart, with an ounce of manna and the juice of a sweet orange, provides a drink in cases of dysentery, which Dr. V. holds fast to, having proved it to be good.—*Dr. Foote's Health Monthly*.

Forests of North Carolina.

It is said that no forests of America will to-day compare with those of North Carolina in variety and luxuriance of growth. This State contains almost 40,000 miles of unbroken forest, containing all the best known species of trees to be found in this country. On the uplands may be found the white pine and the hemlock; on the lowlands the palmetto and the magnolia. Of the twenty-two species of oak to be found east of the Rocky Mountains, nineteen grow in North Carolina; and twice as many varieties of trees grow within the limits of this State as may be found in the whole of Europe. For arboriculture, it is one of the most favored regions of the globe; every variety of tree grows with a rank luxuriance unknown in the North. Some tulip trees may be found more than a hundred feet high, and measuring thirty feet around at the foot of the trunk.

Influence of Iron.

Does the increasing transfer of iron from the interior to the surface of the earth, asks *Knowledge*, exercise any meteorological influence? It is in any marked way influential on electric currents, and thence does it affect magnetism? This is a question which needs a little thought to answer safely. The development of railways, and the almost universal substitution of iron for wood wherever it is practicable to use that metal, must surely exercise a decided influence of its own. Every year more and more of the iron formerly buried in the earth is spread upon its surface, and it is surely reasonable to assume that, electrically at least, some effect is produced; how far we may venture, as some seem now disposed to do, to translate this into a meteorological agency is a problem for science to determine.

"What's the difference," asked the teacher in arithmetic, "between one yard and two yards?" "A fence," replied Tommy Treadwell. What's the difference between Ely's Cream Balm and all other Catarrh preparations? "Ely's Cream Balm has completely cured me of Catarrh, with which I've been afflicted over ten years, and after I had tried almost every remedy recommended, said S. J. Aiken, Esq., wholesale dealer in boots and shoes, 143 Federal St., Boston, Mass. This cure is the rule, reader, and not an exceptional case. This Balm is not a liquid or snuff, and is easily applied. It will positively cure any case of catarrh or cold in the head. It allays all pain, stops discharges, soothes and heals the irritated and diseased nasal organs, and in short, always works a complete cure.

We notice in an exchange some very alarming and mysterious statements about a distinguished Catholic prelate, which are likely, one would think, to compromise him seriously and make it necessary for the church to call upon him for an explanation. The paragraph in question says that "Cardinal McCloskey is about playe out, and will do little or nothing this season," and adds that "Imogen ran away with him the other day, and she is good-for-nothing." This latter statement has a scandalous sound, and is in itself enough, apparently, to bring together an ecclesiastical council of inquiry. Reading on further, however, certain expressions occur which make it seem probable that Cardinal McCloskey is in this case a horse; but the first effect of the item is very startling.

Perplexed Clergyman.

A clergyman had been invited to fill a vacant pulpit. He was the guest of a local member, and his host said he hoped that he would avoid saying anything in his sermon to offend Spiritualists, as there were many in the town who attended their church. While walking down the street, another light of the church was met, who hoped he would not say anything to offend the Universalists, as many of them attended their church. Just as he was entering the pulpit, one of the deacons button-holed him and said:—"The largest liquor dealer in town is here in his pew; I hope you will not find it necessary to refer to that business." The perplexed clergyman then inquired:—"What shall I preach about?" "Oh," replied the deacon, "give it to the Jews, they haven't got a friend in town!"

Our best farmers claim they can raise larger crops of potatoes and corn, and mature them earlier, by using a good Phosphate than with barn manure.

On this subject we publish the following communication:—

HANSON, MASS., Nov. 14, 1882.

Having used Bradley's Phosphate for several years, and having tested it by the side of four other kinds of fertilizer in 1881, I can say that it has given the best satisfaction of any fertilizer I have used. I used it this year principally upon potatoes. A part of it was used upon land where I had ploughed under a good coat of stable manure, and part of it where there was no other manure, and I had a good crop upon both fields. The potatoes were the finest I have raised for many years, and are much smoother and of better quality than those raised on manure alone.

FRANK BOURNE.

It appears that British capital is about to be invested in American land to a large amount. A son of an M. P., who is now visiting this country for the purpose of buying land, says that the enormous amount of capital lying idle in England, and that syndicates have been formed to invest in this country. Among those investing are Baring Bros., the bankers, Mr. Labouchere of Truith, Sir Thomas Brassey, Civil Lord of the Admiralty, and many of the banking houses and number of large county land-lords as well as members of Parliament.

Personal.

A young lady of seventeen summers, highly educated, refined, and of prepossessing appearance, desires to form the acquaintance of some nice young man, whom she would advise, if troubled with dyspepsia, to use that great blood purifier, Sulphur Bitters.

Seventy-five years ago the famous Hoar house in the town of Stow, in this State, was considered one of the most elegant residences in the country. It was built with a swell front, which was the admiration and wonder of the country people for miles around. The large dining hall had an elevated gallery, extending the entire length of one side, for the musicians, and the walls of the large parlors on each side of the spacious hall were adorned with painted scenes, representing landscapes, the trees of which reached to the ceiling, and human figures nearly life size. Here used to be "free-and-easy" hospitality, elegant parties being given by the "Squires" which were largely attended by the elite of Boston.

When Ladies are Attractive.

All ladies know their faces are most attractive when free from pimples. Parker's Ginger Tonic is popular among them because it banishes impurities from blood and skin and makes the face glow with health.

The New Orleans and Northeastern Railroad Company are now constructing a trestle work across Lake Pontchartrain, when completed will be 2 1/2 miles in length. The structure will probably be the longest of the kind in the United States. The number of piles that will be required is 32,644, and the quantity of other lumber over 15,000,000 feet.

We do not as a rule allow ourselves to use our editorial columns to speak of any remedy we advertise, but we feel warranted in saying a word for Hood's Sarsaparilla. Sarsaparilla has been known as a remedial agent for centuries, and is recognized by all schools of practice as a valuable blood purifier. It is put up in forms of almost infinite variety, but Messrs. Hood & Co. (Lowell, Mass.), who use thoroughly reliable pharmacists, have hit upon a remedy of unusual value. Certainly they have vouchers of cures which we know to be most extraordinary.

The cotton mill recently established in Charleston, S. C., has been shipping yarns, the product of its 10,000 spindles, to Northern cities for several months. In a day or two these shipments of yarns will be supplemented by the shipment of cloth, the first manufactured in Charleston for more than a quarter of a century.

"One man's meat is another man's poison." Kidney-Wort expels the poisonous humors. The first thing to do in the Spring is to clean house. For internal cleansing and renovating, no other medicine is equal to Kidney-Wort. In either dry or bilious form it cures headache, bilious attacks, constipation and deranged kidneys.

They were boasting about ancestry. "My forefathers," said John, "came over from England on the Mayflower." "And my ancestors," said Pat "kin over from Quakerdom on the Sunflower. It's assthetic I am!"—*Lowell Citizen*.

To study and to teach, is the office of the temperance advocate of to-day. People ask for information, wide views, related causes and consequences, and the discerning speaker quickly perceives this, and if he be wise, addresses himself to this task or quits the platform. So we listen to temperance enforced by political economy, social science, medical research, financial considerations and national needs, and go away with vision enlarged, and the whole soul stirred with lasting and growing motives to action. "Ring out the old, ring in the new."—*Foster*.

It is well to warn the boys to keep away from the saloons; but what is to be said of the men, most of them fathers, who every year vote for the continuation of the liquor traffic in the nation, with its 200,000 saloons?

Itching Piles—Symptoms and Cure.

The symptoms are moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching, very distressing, particularly at night, when the rectum, the private parts are sometimes affected. It allowed to continue very serious results may follow. "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT" is a pleasant, sure cure cure. Also for Tetter, Itch, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Erysipelas, Barbers Itch, Blotches, all scaly crusty Skin Diseases. Sent by mail for 50 cents. 3 boxes \$1.25 (in stamps). Address Dr. SWAYNE & SON, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by druggists.

No man, I care not how low he may have fallen, wants his son to become a worthless sot. The children of to-day are reaching out to us and asking for a better future than their fathers had. While we give them better means for culture shall we not do something to save them from lives of shame and finally drunkards' graves?

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*Wednesday only.

WINCHESTER.

Water pipes have been laid to Bacon's mills.
Gardening is being pushed for all there is out.

Mr. James-Houston is erecting houses near the railroad.

Our principal streets ought to be sprinkled, and don't you forget it.

Mr. Patrick Holland is no longer an employee of the B. & L. R. R. Co.

The Eureka B. B. Club of this village are open to all for juvenile games. They are bricks.

Wildwood street has been greatly improved recently, and will be numbered among our best thoroughfares.

The Winchester Savings Bank has sold land and buildings on the north side of Canal street to Samuel Beekwith for \$900.

The Star says the new stone-cruiser works "like a charm," and it is right. It means the best streets in the county hereafter.

Main street sidewalks are being nicely concreted between the Gifford schoolhouse and Unitarian Church. It is a good thing to do.

The tanyard of Waldmeyer & Co., is being enlarged by the addition of thirty new pits. The firm are doing a large stock of work.

Last Sunday afternoon the Reform Club, which is still at work, was addressed by Mr. Edward Thompson. What he said on the subject was well received.

The appearance in our streets of the Myopia Club's English fox hounds never fails to excite the boys and call forth remarks of admiration. They are a noble lot of dogs.

Mr. Stephen W. Reynolds has bought of J. C. Mason a house recently built on Windthrop street. There is considerable of a movement in real estate here one way and another.

Rev. Edwin Thompson, 74 years of age, and the oldest temperance orator in the country, addressed the Reform Club meeting last Sunday. A prominent speaker will address the meeting next Sunday afternoon.

The voting competition for an organ at the Winchester Catholic Fair, between Miss Celia Reade of Woburn and Mrs. Joseph Gendron, of Winchester, closed last Saturday night, the organ was awarded Miss Reade, who received 3487 votes to 1978 for Mr. Gendron.

Rev. T. C. Williams, of the Unitarian Church, will deliver the oration on Memorial Day. The American Band of Chelsea will furnish the music for the G. A. R. on Memorial Day.

The cannons donated by the U. S. Gov't have been placed in position after the design of the soldiers' monument in Mount Hope, erected by Post G. A. R. of Boston, and make a very appropriate monument. A flag will surmount the shell in the top gun. Post 148, G. A. R. will use baskets of flowers planted this year, to be furnished by Newman & Sons.

Rev. Theodore Williams gave the talk before the Fortnightly Club last Monday in place of Mr. Frank Sanborn who was necessarily absent. The life and writings of Marcus Aurelius Antoninus was the theme of Mr. Williams' remarks, which was learnedly and pleasantly handled by him. It was a very interesting talk. Madames Robinson and Brown furnished some good music for the meeting. The annual meeting for the election of officers of the Club will be held in June, and Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Rowe, and Miss Wilder were appointed a committee to bring in nominations.

The Woburn High School Base Ball Club went back home last Saturday "dragging their tails behind 'em." The Winchester boys were victorious by a large majority. The Woburnites came to town flushed with their former alleged victory, confident that it would be an easy job to repeat the dose to our lads, but no club was ever more disappointed than they were. The starch was taken clean out of them, and they went back as limp as dish-cloths. The

At Cummings's Millinery Establishment.

Bargains in Spanish and other Laces that have NEVER been seen in Woburn before. Silk Laces, real value, 37 to 62 cts. Price 25 cts.

HOSIERY.
Cost 35 cents to 62 cents. Price 25 cents. Cost 25 cents to 37 cents. Price 15 cents to 20 cents.

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Organ concert at 7.30. Lecture at 8. Let every one interested in promoting the welfare of the town be present.

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Auction, on Saturday, the 26th day of June next, at

three o'clock A. M., at my office, No. 173 Main street,

Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, all the right

of said County of Middlesex, in and to the premises

known as the premises of the late John W. Allen, late

of said County of Middlesex, and bounded as follows:

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By G. A. HOLLAND.

The lovely Spring once more we hail,

To cheer the hearts of all mankind;

Now, may it be remembered well

In all God's providence we find

A God of truth; the truth we see

In everything that nature shows

The grass, the plant, the flower and tree

Show forth the truth in things below.

Spring is the time to sow the seed,

To scatter in the wheat and rye.

That when the harvest months come round

We then may reap a full supply.

So may the seed-time of our years

Be cultivated with success.

When the glorious harvest comes

We may all enjoy its rest.

Spring, the Spring, the lovely Spring,

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JUNE.

BY MRS. W. W. FAWCETT.

The Spring is conquering with Summer. The sunbeams grow stronger each day, And June advances in glory. Eclipsing the sweet building May.

She comes, her bright hair crowned with roses; She wears the garlands of June, and the dew of the sweet building May.

The merry birds tell her a welcome, Their golden throats flash in the sun. As they hear the glad news to their fellows, "June's coming!" That beautiful one!

"The trees clap their hands" as she passes, Her advent brings gladness to all. The daisies that brighten the meadows, All list for her dainty footfall.

She has been with her wand to the wildwood, Dispersing all traces of gloom, And now through the garden the lilies, Confronting rich beauty and bloom.

She smiles on the brooklet, and whispers, "Dance on in thy innocent glee," And the little brook swells with importance, And rushes headlong to the sea.

We welcome thee, right royal maiden, In thy vestures of purple and gold, With the bright train of attendants, A June in all hearts thou dost hold.

—From Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine.

St. Paul's Mistake at Athens.

St. Paul, standing before the Greek School of Philosophy, did not, as usual, begin his work by proclaiming "Christ crucified," but presented rather intellectual side of religion, its sublime philosophy, beginning with arguments to prove the existence of the one true God. Homiletical professors are continually extolling that sermon as a model. New England Congregationalism, as Professor Tucker has recently shown, has mostly followed that intellectual method, presenting religion chiefly to the reason, and beginning its preaching as well as its catechism and "Five Points of Calvinism" with the glory and decrees of the Almighty. But Paul evidently threw that sermon into his waste-basket as a blunder never to be repeated. It had led only three or four to Christ, the smallest number he had ever seen in his preaching.

When he afterward began his work in Corinth, those "Greeks also sought after wisdom," that is, philosophy, he did not begin by saying, "I find you in all things very religious," nor did he quote their heathen poets by way of compliment. He did not begin with the reason but with the heart. He did not open his preaching with the philosophy of religion, but with its facts. He "delivered unto them first of all," not how God made the world—but "how that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures." The result was a great Church.

Did it ever occur to philosophizing ministers that there was any significance in the fact that there are two epistles to the Corinthians and none to the Athenians?

Brainard, the missionary to the Indians, began his work by an effort to prove and describe the existence of the Great Spirit, which only amused the savages; but when he told them of the life and death of Jesus, their hearts were touched and saved. Missionaries generally have learned to begin their work as Paul, the first missionary, did, except at Athens, with Christ crucified. Many preachers at home, however, are still copying Paul's waste-basket sermon to the philosophers. Such sermons may strengthen Christians, but are wasted on sinners.

Paul's preaching of the cross at Corinth seemed to the Greeks "foolishness," while his sermon at Athens, the philosophical part of it, seemed to them "wisdom," but the proof of the preaching is the result, and thus tested the cross is "the wisdom of God and the power of God, that is the wisest and mightiest men for saving men. Those who put philosophy or the life of Christ or sacraments in the forefront and centre of their preaching or teaching, may have as much fruit as Paul at Athens—two or three converts now and then; but when are the men lifted out of impenitence, lust, covetousness and unbelief into reformed and transformed lives by the bloodless sermons of the Dudenleys, Murphys, Milns which could not save themselves, much less their hearers?

Does not the tendency to imitate Paul's blunder at Athens rather than success at Corinth—does not the putting of philosophy rather than the cross in the forefront of the battle—partly explain the fact that the Congregationalist and Presbyterian Year-Books show for the last year a net gain of less than one member per church, while the Baptist and Methodist denominations are so infected with the same mistake that their showing is only a little better. Let us bring to the front once more the world-conquering cross. "In this sign, conquer."—Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine.

A Western M. D., advertising to "treat patients by letter," says the *Norristown Herald*: "If the patient is a female, let B. would be the best letter for her, unless she is blind; then we would suggest letter C." But suppose she, or any of her friends, should have the letter? To let it run is to submit to its poisonous effects. Use Ely's Cream Balm, all ye sufferers with Catarrh. It will cure you just as it has cured thousands of sufferers before you. "I was troubled with Chronic Catarrh and gathering in my head, was very deaf at times, and had discharges from my ears, besides being unable to breathe through my nose," says C. J. Corbin, with the Philadelphia Publishing House. "Before the second bottle of Ely's Cream Balm was exhausted I was cured." 50 cents a bottle. It is not a liquid or snuff, and is easily applied.

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A Hebrew Thermopyle.

The story of this is told in Josephus. Founded by the last of the Maccabees, a century and a half before Christ, Masada had ever been one of the impregnable forts of Judea, where her kings were safe even from Roman invasion. When Jerusalem fell, 70 A.D., before the victorious arms of Titus, an undaunted few of the Jews fled to this stronghold, and under Eleazar the Galilean made it their last refuge against Roman rule and oppression, taking with them their wives and children.

But the Roman eagle was not to be balked of any part of his prey, and the complete submission of all of Judea alone could satisfy the Caesar. Masada was besieged, and the devoted garrison, after heroic resistance, long protracted against overwhelming numbers, were driven to desperation. Josephus records the terrible appeal made by Eleazar to the remnant of his garrison never to fall alive into the hands of their fell foe, but sooner to sacrifice themselves and escape insult and impiety by a voluntary martyrdom, thus insuring for themselves and those they loved escape from dishonor here, and bliss hereafter.

Inspired by his terrible eloquence, every man and woman there hailed his words. Each man with his own hand slew those dearest to him, and selecting ten by lot to act as executioners, died under their hands without a struggle; then, as a funeral pyre, the last survivor set fire to the palace, and consummated the sacrifice by suicide.

On the morning of Easter Day, 73 A.D., the Romans ignorant of this tragedy, made their final assault, and finding none to oppose them, rushed triumphantly in with barbaric shouts, to slay and plunder, to rob and ravish. But even those grim war-machines, as hard as the iron of their own corselets, whose humanity was so subordinate to their discipline that even the fiery shower of Pompeii could not drive them from their posts—even these must have stood appalled at the sight that met them in that city of the dead, where they found only the corpses of the men and women who had thus baffled their triumph. From a cistern cleft two women, whose hearts had failed them, and from these they learned and handed down to posterity this tale of more than Spartan self-sacrifice, of more than Roman fortitude and patriotism.—Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine.

The New Orleans Gamble in 1840.

George W. Cable, in the *June Century*, continues his illustrated history of old New Orleans, and speaks as follows of the school-children of New Orleans forty years ago: "Still the mass of 'educable'—the children who played 'cane, peas, beans,' with French and German and Irish accents, about the countless sidewalk doorsteps of a city of one and two story cottages (it was almost such); the girls who carried their little brothers and sisters on one elbow and lip and stared in at weddings and funerals; the boys whose kite-flying and games were full of terms and outcries in mongrel French, and who abandoned everything at the wild clangor of bells and ran to fires where the volunteer firemen dropped the hose and wounded and killed each other in pitched battles; the ill-kept lads who risked their lives daily five months of the year swimming in the yellow whirlpools of the Mississippi among the wharves and flat-boats, who, naked and dripping, dodged the dignified police that stalked them among the cotton bales, who robbed mocking birds' nests and orange and fig-trees, and trapped nonpareils and cardinals, orchard-orioles and indigo birds, in the gardens of Lafayette and the suburban fields, these had not been reached, had not been sought by the educator. The public recognition of a common vital interest in a common elevation was totally lacking."

Small Feet, or Big Shoes.

There was another poor fellow, a very small man, who had received a very large pair of shoes, and had not yet been able to effect any exchange. One day the sergeant was drilling the company on the facings—Right face! Left face! Right-about face!—and, of course, watched his men's feet closely to see that they went through the movements promptly. Noticing one pair of feet down the line that never budged at the command, the sergeant rushed up to the possessor of them, with drawn sword, and in menacing tones demanded: "What do you mean by not facing about when I tell you? I'll have you put in the guard-house."

"Why, I did, sergeant!" said the trembling recruit.

"You did not, sir! Didn't I watch your feet? They never moved an inch."

"Why, you see," said the poor fellow, "my shoes are so big that they don't turn when I do. I go through the motions on the inside of them."—St. Nicholas.

Seven men in sea boots and India rubber clothing dipped the first seine of the season near Gloucester the other day, and after an hour's hard work, captured one miserable little shad that was not much larger than a roe herring. Such a miserable small basis for the first lie of the season must have been mighty discouraging.

LITERARY NOTICES.

The June number of the *NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW* opens with an article by Joseph Nimmo, Jr., Chief of the Treasury Bureau of Statistics, on American Manufacturing Interests, in which is given a singularly full and instructive historical sketch of the rise and progress of manufacturing in the United States, together with a very effective presentation of their present condition, and of the agency of tariff legislation in promoting the diversified industries and encouraging the inventive genius of the people. Should this author's advocacy of protective legislation prove distasteful, the reader finds the needed corrective in an article by the Hon. Wm. M. Springer, on Incidental Taxation, which is an argument for Free Trade. D. C. Gilman, President of the John Hopkins University, writes of the Present Aspects of College Training, as affected by the increase of wealth and luxury, the development of natural sciences, and the influence of a larger religious liberty. Edward Scott presents some weighty considerations on the Abuse of Citizenship, as exhibited in the machinations of the dynamitists against a friendly power, in disregard of the obligations of American neutrality. Prof. Isaac L. Rice criticizes some of Herbert Spencer's Facts and Inferences in social and political science, and Christine Nilsson contributes a Few Words about Public Singing. Finally, there is a symposium on the Moral Influence of the Drama, the participants being, on the one side, the Rev. Dr. J. M. Buckley, well-known as an opponent of the stage, and on the other, John Gilbert, the actor; A. M. Palmer, theatrical manager; and William Winter, dramatic critic. 50 cents a number; \$5 a year. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for June, already on our table, is an unusually brilliant number, even for this popular lady's book. The principal steel-plate Mistress Soft-Eyes, is an exquisite affair, illustrating a most charming story. The colored steel-plate is very beautiful, and PETERSON, be it remembered, is the only magazine that gives colored plates, printed from the steel. There is a large colored pattern for a Quilt, in the fashionable German Linen-Thread Embroidery, and more than a score of other designs for the Work-Table. The Engravings of fashions are numerous and choice. With this new volume will be commenced a copyright novel, A Fifth Avenue Romance, which the publisher predicts will be the most popular for years. We do not see how any home can be complete without PETERSON'S. The price is but two dollars a year. Address PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for June opens with a timely article on Medical Quacks and Quackeries, by Dr. F. J. Shepherd. In Recent Magnetic Storms and Sun-Spots, Mr. Garrett P. Serviss writes with interest of these phenomena and their connection with weather-changes. Dr. Bart G. Wilder presents the physiologist's view of Visitation in the State of New York. The Rev. Mr. Melville's Quizzes: its Varieties and Formation, is of interest to amateurs as well as to students and mineralogists. Dr. Oswald's Remedies of Nature is continued. Herr Friedrich von Baerenbach gives a characteristic German View of Herbert Spencer's Code of Ethics. In The Court of Life, Mr. John Pratt discusses the question of the habitability of the planets. On Science-Teaching in the Public Schools is the valuable committee report on that subject read at the Boston meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in 1880. Chemistry of Cookery concerns a matter which many affect to despise, but which is worth the thought of the highest minds. In Our Marriage and Divorce Laws, Mr. Gordon A. Stewart makes a forcible exposure of the social evils which have arisen from the chaos of independent State legislation on the subject. Mr. H. H. Boyesen furnishes Evolution. Professor Ball discusses the Nebular Hypothesis. Professor E. Du Bois-Reymond considers the merits of Darwin and Copernicus. Mr. T. F. Thibault Dyer has an interesting paper on Whistling. A sketch and portrait are given of the elder Professor Silliman of Yale College. The editor discusses the relations of Science, Literature, and Theology, and Heber Newton and the Harey-Hunters. New York: D. Appleton & Company. Fifty cents per number. \$5 per year.

St. Nicholas for June is crowded with pictures, and appropriately as with the summer with an interesting article, by I. N. Ford, on the Tribune Fresh-air Fund, through which so many thousands of poor city children have been able to test the pleasures of a two weeks' vacation in the country. Humor and pathos are delightfully blended in the account of this noble work, and the experiences of its beneficiaries vividly illustrated by W. H. Drake, M. Woolf, and Jessie McDermott. The latter also contributes three drawings for a poem on the same subject, by Margaret Johnson, called A Beautiful Charity. The Frontispiece is a charming picture by Miss L. Humphrey, illustrating Miss Mary J. Jacques's verse, Grandmother's Garden; and there is a Decoration Day poem by Celia Thaxter. Harry M. Kellner's popular Drummer-Boy sketches are revived in this number with an entertaining paper entitled, First Days in Camp. Frank R. Stockton writes an exciting boy story, On the Refuge Sands, with a shipwreck and a rescue; while the girls will be interested in a tale of a blue boat, a tornado, and a storm, by Mrs. M. M. Kellner, in a well-known J. P. Trowbridge leaves The Tinkham Brothers, in his capital serial, involved in a confection of disaster, from which all the pluck and energy of the Tide-millers and all the ingenuity of the author will be required to extricate them; and the second installment of Swept Away, by Edward S. Ellis, is full of characteristic incident, description, and pictures. Young natural historians will read with profit Ernest Ingersoll's A Good Month for the Birds, which will turn eagerly to learn about the working of the Boy's Bird Club Association of America in the Work and Play department. Among the rest of the contents are contributions and drawing by Maurice Thompson, Malcolm Douglas, J. G. Francis, R. B. Birch, and many others.

Several of the pictorial features of the June CENTURY are of uncommon interest, like the frontispiece portrait of Tennyson after Woolner's bust, and the other full-page pictures in the profusely illustrated Keats in his last illness, accompanied by a sonnet by Miss Edith M. Thomas, and a portrait of the artist-friend Severn. Of descriptive interest, beside the sixteen or seventeen cuts which reinforce H. H.'s concluding paper in her history of the ruin of the Franciscan Missions in California, and the illustrations with George W. Cable's account of the commercial growth of New Orleans since 1814, under the title, The Great South Gate. What Professor Bryce has to say about the relations of England and Ireland, is of great importance, both from his point of view and as a Liberal economist and as a student of political history. Henry James, Jr., in a critical essay on The Correspondence of Carlyle and Emerson, evolves out of their letters two well rounded characteristic philosophers. And another article is the first of two papers by James Herbert Morse on The Native Element in American Fiction. Albert Stickney's attack upon the jury system, in last November's CENTURY, meets here with contradiction in several letters grouped with a brief rejoinder by Mr. Stickney, under the title, Both Sides of the Jury Question. Mr. Howells, in A Woman's Reason, assists the hero and heroine to make up their quarrel. Split Zephyr, contrasts the aims of a party of students on leaving college with their views and conditions fifteen years later. But most notable is the concluding part of Joel Chandler Harris's story-sketch At Teague Potter's. Poems are contributed by John Vance Cheney, Edith M. Thomas, Frances Hodgson Burnett, H. C. Barker, and Caroline A. Mason. Among the Brie-a-Brac poems are some verses entitled Look at Browning, and The Lady or the Tiger. Topics of the Time discusses The Present Aspect of the Irish Question. The Outlook for Statesmen in America, Over-organized School System, and Two Rich Men. The second bundle of Open Letters—the new editorial department—offers pithy remarks on The Dynamite Policy; on Nathaniel Hawthorne Again; Mr. Cable's Readings; Barne as Mark Antony; Indian Education; and Self-support; The Galloping Horse in Art, by George Snel, a Boston artist, who upholds the conventional attitudes given to the horse by artists, against the conclusions of the author of The Horse in Motion, and who has the humorous support of silhouette in Brie-a-Brac representing a Horse Race (after Maybridge) at a Country Fair.

Commercial Fertilizers.

Fertilizers play a very important part in the agriculture of our country. Their use on old, exhausted lands being a necessity. The question is, what commercial fertilizer shall the farmer use? Experience has shown that one fertilizer may give better results than another, although their analyses may be the same. It is a safe rule for farmers to buy the fertilizer that has been used for a long succession of years, and given universal satisfaction on all crops. Such a fertilizer is sure to give satisfaction. While new brands are likely to prove costly experiments. In this connection we publish the following:—

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The Baptists in England.

The earliest record of a Baptist church in England is of the church at High Cliffe, in Cheshire, whose origin is assigned in the English "Baptist Manual" to the year 1523. The correctness of the record is not sufficiently confirmed, but the true date can scarcely be later than the middle of the century. Already, in 1534, Baptists were of enough consequence in the country to call forth a proclamation from Henry VIII., ordering them out of his kingdom, and the next year they began to go to prison and the stake. But this cruel experience, continued under every sovereign for a hundred years, disappointed its authors, of course. In 1640 there were in and near London alone forty-six Baptist churches, and the Baptists of the kingdom were numbered by thousands. They were, for the most part, still called *Anabaptists*, the name which they had long borne in common with many from whom they seriously differed. But along with the growing distinctness of their historic features, their proper name was beginning to be used; and whatever may be said of earlier claims, the denomination can show, without dispute, from this time on a continuous line of unmistakable Baptist churches. So rapidly did they increase under the Protectorate, that soon after the Restoration a petition presented by them to the false and heartless Charles II. was accompanied by a Confession, said to be owned and approved by twenty thousand. This was in 1660, a year memorable for Baptists, as that in which their worthy brother, John Bunyan, entered Bedford Jail, where he lived and dreamed to the glory of God for twelve years.

Among these notes of the early English Baptists, mention must not be omitted of the fact that to one of their number belongs the honor of having produced the first work in our language in advocacy of religious liberty. In 1644 appeared a tract entitled, "Religion's Peace; Or, A Plea for Liberty of Conscience." Its author was Leonard Busher. He spoke for Baptists then and evermore. Not once in all their history have they violated the principles of Busher's Plea. Bancroft is slightly in error when he says that Roger Williams (Vol. 1, 375), that he was the first person in modern Christendom to assert in its plenitude the doctrine of the liberty of conscience and the equality of opinions before the law." Busher was more than twenty years in advance of Williams with the same doctrine in all its fullness. But the great historian is indisputably correct when he says: "Freedom of conscience, untrammelled freedom of mind, was from the first the trophy of the Baptists" (Vol. II., 67).

The progress of the denomination in England has been occasionally marked by warm controversies on certain points of doctrine and order, one result of which was the division into General Baptists and Particular Baptists. The former which is the smaller body, hold Arminian sentiments; the latter are decidedly Calvinistic. But without serious division as to distinctive views, they have steadily advanced in numerical and social strength, until to-day they are recognized as one of the most influential of the dissenting sects. Among the names that adorn their history, besides Milton and Bunyan—already mentioned—are Dr. Gill, John Howard, William Carey, Andrew Fuller, Robert Hall, John Foster, and many others that the world delights to honor.—*Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine.*

Mr. Ruskin has recently paid \$5,000 for a manuscript book made by a Miss Alexander, a young American lady residing in Florence, Italy. It is a large quarto containing folk-lore of Tuscan peasants, and is engrossed in a copper-plate hand, and illuminated with pictures that are said to be gems of art. The work is to be placed in the Sheffield (Eng.) Museum.

It is Not Best

to always believe everything that a person tells you, but when you hear that the best blood purifier is Sulphur Bitters, you can believe it, for they cured me of a severe case of blood poisoning.

REV. A. FAIRCHILD, New York City.

There can no longer be any doubt respecting Republicanism, and a large portion of what may be regarded as the Independent sentiment, respecting the duty of the Legislature in regard to the Tewksbury investigation. It is to see the investigation completed, to receive and to act upon the report of the committee. That response comes from all parts of the State, and in Republican circles in the Legislature there is so near a unanimity of sentiment on the question that it will cheerfully defer to the judgment of the very decided majority. During the past week a wonderful change of opinion has taken place on this question, simply because members have made it a subject of special inquiry and consideration. As to the course to be pursued there may be a difference of opinion. It would undoubtedly be better for the Legislature to adjourn and await the report of the committee, if the Governor would pledge himself to reassemble it when the investigation should have been completed. Whether or not His Excellency will agree to this plan remains to be seen. If he has a particle of good faith in carrying on and deriving good results from the investigation, he will promptly accede to such a proposal if it should make. If he will not pledge himself in the most unequivocal manner to recall the Legislature when the investigation is ended, or rather when the committee shall decide that it is completed, then the majority should divide itself into a body of a dozen or more and adjourn from day to day. This would not interfere to any extent with the business or the employments of members.

In his campaign speeches, in which His Excellency deplored the long sessions of the Legislature, he declared that he would find a way to prorogue that branch of the State Government if it undertook to protract its sessions beyond the period which he deemed necessary for the proper transaction of business. He will probably have an opportunity to introduce his threatened innovation.

A Mischiefous Boy.

A young shaver, five years old, who lives in Auburn, Me., went into the kitchen one Monday morning and found the servant girl preparing the clothes for washing. He watched her as she filled the tub with water, put in the clothes, poured in some bluing and took a stick and began to poke them. Thinking that he understood the modus operandi he adjourned to the bathroom as a base of operations for experimental knowledge. After filling the bath tub with water he began to look around for something to wash. Material was soon discovered in a closet near by filled with suits and dresses of his father and mother. These were soon transferred to the bath tub, the contents of a bottle of liquid blacking for ladies' shoes was poured over them for bluing, and when discovered he was giving them a very lively poking with his father's gold headed cane.

Oliver Gneidt said nothing. He feared his wife's brain was turned, and that made him faint and cold as he followed her into the garden and there watched while the three others lifted at the flat slab.

It lay before them on the green

"I can mend that, anyhow," she said, "and I have time, for work is done."

No she hung the broom up and peeped into the oven and set the kettle on and then, hooded and shawled, crossed the fields to where the farm joined that of Simon Gray.

On one spot were men at work breaking up stones lying about.

Hannah Gneidt nodded to the old farmer, and he came to meet her.

"I want a stone," she said, "may I have one?"

"I wish you'd take 'em all" said the farmer. "A lot of rubbish." "You see I'm clearing away what they call the old graveyard at last. Wife talks to me o' sacrifice and disturbin' bones. Bless you, there ain't been none for years; and these hard times men can't let land go to waste. I tell wife she don't know nothin' about it. What do you want to do? Have a bit around the well?"

"No, I want a step," said Hannah. "That great white one is just the thing." And she pointed to a slab hard by.

"He shall bring it over to-night," said the farmer.

"No," said Hannah. "I can roll it along."

"I wish I could tell what that was," she said. "Some one's age and name. Ah! there were some hearts when that was new. I hope when I die Oliver will

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1888.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S. Horton, 195 Main Street, R. Robie, 156 Main Street, E. F. Cutler, Commisville, J. P. Tyler, North Woburn, Cooper's at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Memorial, or Decoration, Day was observed in the usual manner in this town last Wednesday. Business was generally brought to a halt early in the day and the places where it is done were mostly closed. It was a holiday and so treated by the people. Crowds in trim attire came in from neighboring villages and countryside to witness the decorating ceremonies, see the veterans, and hear the band play. Notwithstanding Boston made a draft of several hundred on our population the town was pretty full of men, women and children, and a part of it pretty full of something else, we are sorry to say.

The observance of the day has a solemn side to it, and yet generally speaking it is not deemed essential that we should clothe ourselves in the habiliments of woe and go about with harps hung on the willows. We remember the fallen heroes with gratitude and strew flowers over their graves with cheerful hearts. We honor their patriotism, and do not mean that they are forgotten. But it can all be done without clothing ourselves in somber garbs of mourning, or wetting everything all over with briny tears. The brave men whose memory is honored once a year by decorating their graves and their kept fresh and green, are at rest—have got well through with it all, and are better off than those who left on this side. Therefore we should perform the memorial services with cheerful feelings. All this however is in the line of reflections, and not descriptive of the manner in which Memorial Day was observed in Woburn.

The weather was splendid. It couldn't have fitted better if it had been made to order for the occasion. It was the brightest kind of sunshine and a nice western breeze all day. Nothing was done in the forenoon about decorating the graves of the soldiers. The monument on the Common was surrounded with potted plants and flowers, flags placed and wreaths decorated the base and statue. At about 9 o'clock, and from that to nearly 10 detachments of comrades were sent out to the cemetery at Montvale, Salem street, and other places where the graves were decorated with the usual ceremonies. The monument in the Salem street cemetery was also beautifully clothed in flowers.

In the afternoon there was a procession of veterans, with a company of boys, escorted by the Woburn Phalanx, and headed by the National Band, with citizens following. It marched through the principal streets, returned to the headquarters of Post 33, and disbanded. This closed the exercises of the day.

In the evening a musical and literary programme was carried out in Lyceum Hall, which was very interesting. This consisted of an address by the President of the evening, Col. W. T. Grammer; responses to sentiments by A. P. Barrett, George Perkins, B. F. Whittemore, C. K. Conn; an address by Commander J. H. Carter; an original poem by Mrs. S. E. Plinder; songs by the Mendelssohn Club under the leadership of Mr. C. P. Bancroft; music by the National Band, and Benediction.

The day passed off without a flaw in the proceedings or anything to mar the solemnity of the occasion. When nearly the same routine is observed in carrying out the ceremonies of Decoration Day nothing new can be offered by the reporter, hence the brevity of our account of the services last Wednesday.

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MORE VETOS.

Governor Butler has got in two good, solid vetoes this week, and there are a couple of days left for more of the same kind of work. The bills last slaughtered by His Excellency were the Boston Aldermanic District bill, and one to authorize the county of Plymouth to increase the size of its House of Correction. The passage of the former was opposed by the Democrats in the Legislature, and vetoed on political grounds solely as every one knows it was a good measure and very much needed by Boston. But the Governor don't let any chances to make Democratic votes slip through his fingers if he knows himself. The other measure was asked for by the inhabitants of Plymouth county who are supposed to know what they want as well as General Butler does. But that didn't make any difference; the measure was opposed by some influential Democrats in the county which was reason enough for the veto. The Governor thinks it has been a mighty poor week for business when he can't get in a few vetoes. He has been doing from fair to middling this week.

Last Monday the Boston Board of Aldermen passed an order to remove the Superintendent of streets notwithstanding he had filled the place only a couple of months or so. He is a good Democrat, but not of the stripe of which a majority of the city government is composed, and so he was ordered to vacate. His removal was of no particular consequence only as showing that the mudsills of the party have got Boston by the throat and are determined to hold their grip. Municipal affairs in the cultured city are on a down grade.

The coronation of the Emperor and Empress of all the Russias took place at Moscow last Sunday with great pomp and splendor. No attempt was made on the life of either of these high and mighty personages, and no accident occurred to mar the brilliant festivities of the grand occasion. It was a great day all over Russia. The coronation was witnessed by people from every civilized land, and there was collected in Moscow on Sunday more noble names, more wealth, and more splendor than was ever witnessed before on a similar or other occasion.

Some folks pretend to be able to catch glimpses of the end of the star route trials. The closing argument by Mr. Merrick had almost finished, after which comes the Judge's charge, and the verdict. It has been a very tedious trial, the result of which the JOURNAL predicts will be a disagreement on the part of the jury. If so, that will end the matter forever.

Gov. Butler, for some reason or other, lost the Plymouth county bill while writing out his veto to it. He can't imagine what became of it, but reckons it didn't make much difference whether the bill was returned to the House with the veto or not. Perhaps so, but it is rather a slipshod way of doing business to say the least of it.

The Massachusetts Press Association will start on their fourteenth annual summer excursion on June 8 and gone a week. The trip will include New York, Philadelphia, Harrisburg, Harper's Ferry, Baltimore, and other places of interest. The cost for each person has been fixed at \$40.

LOCAL NEWS.

Win. H. Winn—For Sale.
R. B. Richardson—For Sale.
J. G. Maguire—For Sale.
Herbert Mills—For Sale.

Read the important change in the card of Smith & Son.

Miss Leathe will please accept thanks for St. Louis papers.

There were some pretty heavy thunder storms on Monday morning last.

A railroad article from "Ante-Foggy" is necessarily laid over for next week.

Last Tuesday a patent was issued to F. J. Perkins of this place for a corn-planter.

A grand good lunch can be procured at Estabrook's for a very small amount of money.

There was a pleasant picnic in Hiawatha Grove on Memorial Day. It was largely attended.

Dr. Defrieze has had a telephone put into his office. The doctor keeps right up with the fashions.

Next Tuesday the Board of Selectmen hold their regular monthly meeting for passing on bills, etc.

Mr. William H. Winn offers a nice residence on Pleasant street for sale or to rent at reasonable figures.

The Tanners and Carriers Protective and Benevolent Society held a meeting in Emerald Hall last Sunday.

Fred Leeds deals out all kinds of refreshing summer drinks at his drug store, and his fountain is well patronized.

Michael Golden has bought of Mary E. Fulton land and buildings on the west side of Washington street for \$1000.

Our new hat has caught the eye of Bro. Allen of the Advertiser. We don't find anything about "sour grapes" into his teeth.

Mr. John B. Davis was presented with a fine watch-chain and charm by his friend A. Brigham of No. Attleboro, the other day.

Mr. W. H. Matthews filled the office of town-master at the G. A. R. exercises, Wednesday evening, first rate.

If a good thing is desired don't fail to attend the strawberry festival of the M. E. Church next Wednesday evening.

Rev. Mr. Simonson has returned from the General Baptist Conference at Saratoga and will preach in his church on Sunday.

The Ladies of the M. E. Church will hold their strawberry festival next Wednesday evening, and it is going to be a good one.

Mr. C. C. Couillard, of the Boston Herald, and family have gone to West Medford to live. Where we trust they will be happy.

The fire companies have been called out several times within a week by alarms caused by brush fires. Not much damage has been done.

The census of the Assessors show that there has been a gain in the population of No. Woburn in the last year, and a falling off at Montvale.

The Woburn Gas Company are at work adding to the number of their retorts by which the capacity of the works will be increased several fold.

The Scandinavian Association have disbanded, and prayer meetings at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. at 7:30 o'clock Monday evenings substituted.

Itinerant vendors of strawberries, bananas, lemons, etc., make a good deal of noise, but about their selling much of the first name fruit we can't say.

Our vegetable, fruit, and meat markets are full and running over with the fat of the land. To live right up to the handle all a person wants is money.

The general opinion is that this is going to be, or is, the "apple year," leastwise, that that fruit will be very plenty this fall, if nothing splits. We hope so.

The Assessors finished listing property last Saturday night and are now engaged in making up the taxes. They have done the outdoor work pretty rapidly.

The well-known Ruggles Street Church Male Quartette can be heard in Lyceum Hall, June 14, in a concert to be given under auspices of Highland Hose Company.

We had given us by W. H. Matthews, Adj. of Post 33, a very kind and cordial invitation to participate in the Memorial Day dinner. For which we felt duly grateful.

V. M. Simons, former pastor of the M. E. Church here, was in town on Thursday on his return from Peabody where he delivered the Memorial Address on Wednesday.

Everybody speaks in glowing terms of the meeting of the W. V. I. A. last week. All the parts were executed admirably and nothing was left to desire. It was a splendid meeting.

It is of no particular public interest, nor anybody's business except his own, but it is true all the same that Marvin Parker has got a dog. He bought of Curtis and paid a cent for it.

The Lexington High School Baseball Club have, so far, failed to come to the scratch with the Woburn H. S. Club. We are in hopes to get up a match game between the two teams soon.

We have received from Hon. Carroll D. Wright, Chief of the Bureau of Statistics of Labor, his 14th Annual Report, for which we return thanks. We shall give it a careful perusal.

Mr. C. P. Bates will please accept our thanks for a copy of the Brooklyn Eagle containing the best account published of the opening of the great bridge between Brooklyn and New York.

It was reported a few days ago that James Madden, about 15 years old, had run away from home and took with him about \$30 of his father's money and a suit of clothes belonging to his brother.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Goodall of St. Louis will spend their vacation in Europe. The doctor is pastor of the largest Congregational Church in that city, and is very well known by some Woburn people.

Mr. John Seaver, who is clerk in a large hotel at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., was called home by the sudden illness of his mother on Saturday. He returned on Tuesday, his mother's health having improved.

Last Monday Mr. F. B. Dodge, Treasurer of the Loyal Legion of Honor, paid to Mrs. Charlotte G. Leathe, widow of Mr. William Leathe, \$2000, being the amount due her on the decease of her husband.

There was a meeting in Forrester's Hall last Sunday, for the purpose of organizing a branch of the Irish National League. But little progress was made and another will be held next Sunday at 3 o'clock.

The old Winn tannery recently dismantled when finished off into tenements hold quite a settlement. It is to be thoroughly overhauled, repaired, cut up into convenient residences, and made a good place to live in.

Perhaps it is a little premature to talk about a 4th of July celebration this year, but we should rather like to know for a certainty whether Woburn will, or will not, celebrate. It looks now as though the noes would win the day.

The house of Mr. William Emery on Bedford street, West Side, was struck by lightning on Monday forenoon and damaged to the extent of about \$25. It made quite a smashing of things in the kitchen, but no one was hurt.

We shouldn't blame the storekeepers on Main street one mite if they refused to pay their subscriptions for watering. It has never been done so poorly before, and the street is filled with clouds of dust from morning till night. If Chief Conn don't look after this business he can never save another subscription for street sprinkling.

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The B. & L. R. Co. are demolishing the old car-house standing east of the depot building, and in its place will erect a substantial 3-track house. The improvement is a good one, but plays the mischief with Mr. Eli Cooper's dovescotes.

Mr. Charles M. Munroe is enjoying an excellent spring trade in clothing furnishing goods, hats, and other wares in his line. He carries a fashionable stock of the very best class of goods, and is undersold by nobody. Which accounts for his brisk trade.

We noticed a 30-pound Penobscot salmon at Tabor's fish market on Monday and he was a beauty. The Monday morning boat fetched him up from Down East, and so he was as fresh as a daisy. Mr. Tabor keeps the best there is going in the way of fish, etc.

Miss Hattie Bosworth, who has been saleswoman in Cummings's millinery store for the past three years, is training for the profession of teaching, which she proposes to pursue in the future as a livelihood. Our opinion is she will make a successful school-ma'am.

Mr. Joseph B. McDonald has recently had new screens put into the doors and windows of his coal office. The very neat job was done by Cyrus Lamb who is running over with orders for screens at his shop on Winn street where he can be found every day from 5 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Probably a good many of our citizens will go down to Charlestown to celebrate the anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill with the rest of the boys. As Woburn used to be Charlestown village it is proper that there should be a fellow-feeling between the people of the two boroughs.

Highland Hose No. 5, will give a concert in Lyceum Hall on the evening of June 14, one of the attractions of which will be the Ruggles Street Male Quartette, which stands at the head of the male quartettes in Boston. They have sang here several times to the great delight of our people.

Herbert E. Mills, of the class of '79 Woburn High School, has been appointed one of the speakers at the graduation of the class of '83 University of Rochester. Mr. Mills was third in scholarship in a class of thirty-one, and his standing was only one tenth of one per cent below that of the second man.

By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that Mr. R. B. Richardson offers his fine residence on Powle street for sale. It is one of the most desirable places in Woburn having all modern improvements, beautifully situated, and cost a few years ago about \$25,000. It will be sold at a bargain.

We have received a copy of the Register and Circular of the State Normal School at Salem for the spring and summer of 1883, in which we find the following pupils from Woburn: Julia T. Byrne, Harriet E. Porter (Montvale), Clara M. Ames, Harriet V. Dever, Alice H. Sweetser, Helen L. Winn, Mary E. O'Donnell.

At the installation of Rev. Harry Brickett over the Congregational Church in Lynnfield, last Wednesday, his father, Rev. Harry Brickett, of Thetford Centre, Vt., delivered the charge, which was very pleasant and appropriate. A rainstorm prevented the writer hereof from being an interested spectator of the ceremonies.

Members of the High School graduating class are supposed to be delving into literature deep now-a-days. The composition of essays is in order, and we have no doubt but that a good deal of daily and nightly brain-racking is going on. The day is approaching when they will be expected to appear before a critical public with the best foot forward.

Superintendent Davis attended the semi-annual meeting of the New England Association of School Superintendents held in Boston last Friday and took a leading part in the discussion of the subject of "Recess or no Recess." Several gentlemen spoke to the question, and the general sentiment appeared to be in favor of abolishing recesses.

We learn that Mr. W. G. Taylor, who has of late moved into this town, is the Director of the Arion Glee Club of Melrose, and on Monday evening last, at the Club's rehearsal, he was the recipient of a handsome duplex lamp tendered him by the members of the Club as a token of esteem. He has been engaged as tenor in the Unitarian church quartette.

In another column may be found a card from Dr. and Mrs. J. Spencer Kennard thanking their warm-hearted Woburn friends for a kind remembrance on the occasion of their Silver Wedding. Dr. Kennard is now pastor of Fourth Baptist Church in Chicago, and some sixteen years ago was the beloved pastor of the First Baptist Church in Woburn. He is held in high esteem by the people here, as their valuable present to him and his wife on their Silver Wedding day proved.

Mr. Benjamin Champney, the artist, goes to North Conway this week. More than thirty years ago he built a nice home there, and has occupied it every season. It is a very pleasant residence surrounded with trees mostly of his own planting, with a neat studio in the yard, and everything nicely fitted to gratify the tastes and contribute to the comfort of an artist.

Messrs Eli Cooper & Co., sustained a heavy pecuniary loss in the destruction of their dove-cotes on the demolition of the old car-house at the depot. True they had not succeeded in prevailing on the doves to occupy the handsome quarters provided for them at an expense of \$40, but they had high hopes, which were blasted by pulling down the building.

The portrait of the late J. B. Winn which Mr. Hayden had placed in the Art Gallery of the Library for inspection will hereafter occupy a prominent place there. It is pronounced by those best acquainted with the original a complete likeness, while the quality of the work is of the best. Nothing could be more appropriate than that the portrait of the man whose money, or the money he earned, secured for Woburn this splendid institution, should occupy a prominent place in the Art Gallery of the same.

Last week President Buckham of the University of Vermont at Burlington returned to Woburn for a re-examination of our Public Library. Since his visit here six months ago he has examined the best library buildings to be found far and near, and on returning pronounced ours the finest he had seen anywhere. The University is about to erect a building for the Marsh library and President Buckham has made extended trips over the country to obtain the best models for it. His second visit here and report were a high compliment to our elegant structure.

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WINCHESTER.

Mystic Station is undergoing repairs. Some of the crossings and sidewalks of the village are being improved.

Several of our prominent citizens attended the races at Mystic Park the other day.

The Common isn't very handsome just now it being nearly all ploughed up for re-seeding.

John O'Connor has bought of Michael O'Dea land and buildings on Cedar street for \$1000.

Webster Wells has been appointed Assistant Professor of Mathematics in the Institute of Technology.

Our eminent artist, J. Foxcroft Cole, has been placed on the Hanging Committee of the Paint and Clay Club.

Miss A. F. Symmes and Mrs. R. E. Metcalf have returned from a pleasant visit to Washington and Richmond.

For the Superior Court George W. Spurr, John S. Richardson, Charles E. Conant, Patrick Holland have been attorneys at law.

We hope to have a good town Directory in connection with the Mr. Mark Allen is getting up for Woburn. It would be the thing to do.

The meetinghouse clock has been very misleading of late. Some days it will strike four or five hundred times at a single stretch, and on other days it won't strike at all, or next thing to it.

The spring and summer register of the State Normal School at Salem contains the name of the following Winchester ladies:—Bessie R. Brackett, Lena R. Brackett, Rebecca A. Holbrook.

So far, R. C. Whitten has proved himself the boss shootist of the Wedge Pond Rifle Club, and made good his claim to the badge. However, the close of the season's practice may disclose others with as sharp eyes and steady nerves as himself.

The Ladies' Club of the M. E. Church are making great preparations for their strawberry and ice cream festival to be given on Thursday evening, June 7th. There is to be a literary and musical entertainment to which an admission fee of ten cents will be charged. The festival is expected to be a big thing.

Memorial Day was duly observed in this town. A. D. Weld Post, 148, William A. Snow Commander, decorated thirty-five graves. Rev. Theodore C. Williams was orator of the day. The American band of Cambridge furnished music, and the post also dedicated a soldiers' monument erected from captured cannon donated by Congress.

Considering the senseless, over-sloping folly of the Star editor, and the indignant protest of a Star correspondent, who shows still greater folly in taking any notice of his clumsy attempt to tickle the "elite," it is rather embarrassing to see a dog-cart here, and several intending purchasers have decided to deny themselves the pleasure of running one of these jaunty little gigs. By the way, there is only one true dog-cart in town, which makes the comments rather personal. The others are village carts properly.

The following appeared in the Arlington Advocate, and as it is of much interest to the people of this town, a great many of whom read the JOURNAL, I send the same to you for publication:

Winchester is the only town adjoining Lexington which is not connected with us by a carriage road. With each of the other towns around us we have at least two highway connections, so that one can drive directly to them, but in order to go to Winchester it is necessary to make the circuit of Woburn or of Arlington. The result has been that very little intercourse has ever been maintained between Lexington and Winchester, and the fine section of country lying between the two towns is practically unknown, although it embraces some of the best land and most agreeable views to be found in the suburbs of Boston. The wonder is that such a valuable and picturesque region as that which borders off Lowell street, for two miles and more between our Howard school-house and the "foot of the rocks" should ever have been penetrated by a highway. Long ago, as early as the beginning of this century, it was talked about, and a road was actually constructed from the High street schoolhouse in Winchester (then a part of Woburn), by the well-known Locke estate up to the Lexington line,

in the woods. But Lexington never completed the connection, although the farmers in that part of the town have been in the habit of going across, even with wagons, until quite recently, when the way was practically closed up.

The time has now evidently come when this state of things cannot continue. Winchester has grown to be a large and beautiful town, and naturally seeks to cultivate friendly relations with all its neighbors, and with none more than with Lexington. And the people of Lexington certainly do not wish to isolate themselves by maintaining such a barrier as that which now excludes them from intercourse with their neighbors on the east. Feeling this, a large number of citizens representing both towns have signed a petition for a highway to be laid out, and the County Commissioners (as will be seen by a notice in another column) have appointed Thursday, the 28th of June next, as the day for a hearing, and for viewing the premises. The plan is to have the road begin at Lowell street, nearly opposite Maple street, and after crossing land owned by Mr. Fessenden, second by an easy grade through the estate of Mr. Winning and gradually sweep around back of Mr. Putnam's into the woods, where the old pathway is pretty well defined, up to the town line. Thence it is but a short distance to Mr. Locke's and out by the school-house on the corner of Ridge and High streets. Following High and Church streets one can in five minutes drive directly down into Winchester village. This route will save at least a mile and a half in going to Winchester, and is loudly called for by a large number of our citizens, including many in East Lexington.

BURLINGTON.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.—The Literary Union expect to meet their friends at a Strawberry Festival, early in June. The date will soon be announced.

IMPROVEMENTS.—Mr. Samuel Sewall, who has the care of the old burying ground, has recently finished banking the walls, and making other needed improvements. This being a place, thanks to the generosity of one who now lives there, presents a great contrast to the usual neglected condition of unused and ancient graveyards. Spring work in the new cemetery is also progressing, under the direction of the Selectmen and owners of lots.

Party Fealty.

The new proposition for the reorganization of the Republican party in New York city is the subject of considerable discussion among the party leaders in that city, and the opinions expressed concerning them are various, though, in the main, favorable. It is noticeable that some of the gentlemen who have hitherto had the direction of the Republican Associations are apprehensive of dreadful consequences if means are not devised for "punishing" Republicans who fail to vote for Republican nominees. One Association President declares that "no party organization can be held together unless it has some means within itself for punishing its members who betray its secrets, or who refuse to support its nominees." The President of another Association says: "I firmly believe that there has been a great mistake made in devising a plan, in omitting to provide a punishment for a man who, being once enrolled, proves a traitor to his party." These and other similar expressions on the part of other officers of existing Associations show that the moderate idea of politics dies hard. The kind of reorganization which leaders of this class appear to want is simply a strengthening and enlargement of the present Associations, the fetters of which shall then snap upon the new membership and hold them fast in the same bondage as the old.

It is scarcely necessary to say that reorganization on this basis will never be effected. What is desired in New York is not a perfecting of the machine, which has hitherto dominated politics, but the substitution for it of freer and more natural action. The political pyramid in New York has been long enough balanced on its apex; stability can be assured only by establishing it firmly on its base. The political action of a few thousand Republicans enrolled in closely-guarded Associations and directed by experienced bosses has been the starting-point heretofore of all action of the party; the few Republicans in these Associations have made the nominations, and then the great mass of the party has been invited to support them. The old-time leaders who are so apprehensive of trouble if they are not permitted to maintain strict discipline in the ranks should ponder upon the results of the system which is so dear to them. The machine of which they think so much landed them in the ditch last November; it is as well to leave it there and discover something better. This something better is to be found in a plan which proposes to admit all Republicans on an equal footing to the primary action of the party, and so to broaden and strengthen the base upon which the party rests.—Boston Journal.

Canadian Bazaar.
Mr. John Osborne, Musical Bazaar, Toronto, Canada, writes that his wife was cured of rheumatism by the great pain banisher, St. Jacobs Oil; that he has found it an invaluable remedy for many ailments.

LITERARY NOTICES.

GOLDEN DAYS gives a large and varied table of contents for June, and an excellent one. The literature of the number is not surpassed by any magazine published for young people, while its illustrations are meritorious works of art. We know of no better or more valuable monthly than GOLDEN DAYS published by James E. Elverton, Philadelphia, and cordially recommend it to the reading public.

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Political.
"Where is the Ohio Democracy on the liquor question?" inquired a fresh interviewer. "Where are cats on the cream question?" was the significant reply.

The Supreme Court of Maine has just decided that the town of Minot must pay the notes issued by "the late Hon." T. B. Swan as Treasurer of that town. Mr. Swan, after being two years the leader of the Democratic-Greenback coalition in his section, and after posing in public as a friend of the farmer, left the State to escape arrest for swindling that class by selling them worthless corn shellers and mowing machine sharpeners. As Treasurer of Minot he issued several notes for which he did not render an account.

The New Orleans Picayune heads the movement in Louisiana to form an independent Democratic organization. The Times-Democrat is very much stirred up over the matter.

Hon. F. M. Fogg of the Garcelon Council predicts that the Democratic success of securing the Greenback vote in Maine by another fusion nomination will not work. It doesn't make much difference; Greenback has even in Maine, where it was strongest, is a last year's horse.

Hon. John L. Stevens of Maine being about to give up the Swedish mission, Hon. W. W. Thomas, Jr., of Portland is expected to be his successor. Mr. Thomas has the advantage of being thoroughly familiar with the language of that people and of the country generally, having served as Consul in Norway and Sweden several years since.

The liquor men in the Illinois Legislature have so far been unable to prevent final action on the high-licence bill. The conduct will weigh against the Democracy in the long run.

The Lowell Citizen says that Judge Abbott is one of the most disgusted men in the State. Unless he is much belied, he makes very little secret of his hostility to Butler. He is reported to have remarked that the Governor is taking slow poison politically.

There is every reason to believe that Senator Cameron's friends in Pennsylvania are doing their utmost to bring about entire harmony in the ranks of the party.

Lowell Citizen: "It is painfully evident to the Governor and his friends that this prosecution of the Tewksbury management for political effect is losing ground."

The St. Paul Pioneer-Press (Ind. Rep.) concludes an article on political vetoes by saying that "it is worthy of remark, however, that the two men who are most convinced of a coming Democratic victory are those eminent patriots and reformers, Roscoe Conkling and Benjamin F. Butler. Such an event is clear only to a few of venousness hate or that of unscrupulous ambition. The Republican party stands before to-day in the nation than it did in the summer of 1879."

Governor Butler has been nearly five months in office, yet he visited only one State institution.

Colonel Morrison of Illinois, who is classes as a free-trade in the House, has come to the conclusion that "toleration" is the watch-word for the Democracy on the tariff question. The dodge programme is in an advanced stage already. "Toleration" is what Mr. Randall desires.

It is estimated that \$12,000,000 will be paid out for pensions during the month of June—nineteenths of which goes to those who were "colored men."

Scattering returns of the county elections in Virginia indicate that while the majority of the Mahone party have been reduced, their friends have got the offices in the counties which he carried in 1881 and 1882.

The Philadelphia Times clearly expresses the public opinion relative to the demands of the Southern Pacific for the land grant of the Texas Pacific, when it says: "The Department should promptly and emphatically refuse the impudent demands of the Texas Pacific, to which the land was pledged, never earned an acre of it. The Southern Pacific, which now claims it, never was granted an acre of it by Congress. The grant never should have been made at all, and as the original parties have forfeited all claim by their own act, the first folly should not be deliberately repeated when there is no occasion for it."

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Here and There.
The American ship Northampton, from New Orleans with cotton and staves for Liverpool, struck on Molasses Reef, Florida on Thursday night and bilged. Wreckers are saving the cargo.

In a fight between Irish roughs and Italians in Cherry street, New York, Sunday, Dooney Harris was shot in the thigh and Marie Morena was fatally wounded. Several others were cut and wounded.

A Baton Rouge special says that the entries of sea marsh made by J. B. Watkins covers 1,150,116 acres, at 123 cents per acre, embracing all vacant State lands in the parishes of Vermillion, Cameron and Calcasieu. Watkins also entered 2700 acres of State lands at 75 cents per acre, and 60,000 acres of United States Government lands, between Jennings and Lake Charles north of the Morgan Railroad, at \$1.25 per acre.

Atlanta Ga., was on Saturday by the announcement at an examination of the accounts of Joseph Hall, Assistant Postmaster showed him to be \$8000 short. Hall says there must be some mistake, but will make good the defect if there is any.

Twelve employees of the Milwaukee (Wis.) County Hospital, including female nurses and male attendants, have petitioned the Board of Supervisors to remove Marden for drunkenness and worse practices. The matter will come before the Supervisors at their meeting on Tuesday.

The 24th annual commencement exercises of Cooper Union on Saturday evening it was announced that the children of Peter Cooper would contribute during the coming year \$100,000 in addition to the bequest of \$100,000 in their father's will.

Edward Robinson, Secretary of the Gramercy Club, a social organization in Brooklyn, died Saturday morning from consumption of the brain, the result of injuries received on Thursday last while "sky-larking."

"Aunt" Dinah John, the oldest known Indian, died at Onondaga reservation on Saturday. She was born on the reservation early in 1774, and was therefore more than 109 years old.

Goldstein Bros., wholesale jewelers of Chicago, suspended on Saturday. Liabilities \$50,000.

At Leon, Ashtabula county, Ohio, an explosion at Chandler's lumber mill killed Nelson Johnson and injured several others. The mill is a total wreck.

In a quarrel at North Derby, Vt., on Saturday between Judson Wood and George Cade, Cade struck Wood on the head with a slung hammer, report says crushing the skull, and that he is in a critical condition.

The Semi-annual session of the Worcester County Teachers' Association was held at Worcester on Saturday at the Normal School, 250 teachers being present. J. S. Scott of Westfield read an essay on "Simple Methods of Teaching Natural Science" and Charles F. King, Boston, read a paper on "Typical Teaching Geography."

William Black and John McClaren died at Paterson, N. J., on Friday from eating beef stew which had been poisoned with arsenic. Three others were very sick, but have recovered. It is believed that Black poisoned the stew, as he had threatened the family with whom he boarded.

A freight train on the Northwestern road, approaching Mankato, Minn., ran over a cow. One coach and two freight cars loaded with wheat were derailed and Conductor Jerome Baader was thrown off and was covered by wheat and smothered to death.

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Another great bridge, that of the Canada Southern Railroad over the Niagara River is now in course of construction. The location is about 300 feet nearer the falls than the present suspension bridge, where the chasm is 850 feet from bluff to bluff, and the grade 245 feet from bluff to bluff. The design is what is known as the cantilever bridge, the principal of which is that of a trussed beam, supported at or near its ends, with the arms extending on each side, and at one end anchored or counter-weighted to provide for an equal loading. It is in practice an entirely new design, no bridge as yet having been completed upon this principle. The Fifth of North Bridge in Scotland, with a clear span of 1600 feet, is being built upon this plan. The bridge is to be completed by Dec. 1, under forfeiture of \$500 for every day's delay after that date.

On Thirty Days' Trial.
The Voltaire Belt Co., Marshall, Mich., will send Dr. Dyer's Celebrated Electric Voltaire Belt and Electric Appliances on trial for thirty days to men (young or old) who are afflicted with nervous debility, lost vitality and kindred troubles, guaranteeing speedy and complete restoration of health and manly vigor. Address as above.—N. B.—No risk is incurred, as thirty days' trial is allowed.

Twelve European steamships sailed from New York Saturday with large lists of passengers.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

TEWKSBURY.

The investigation still drags its slow length along. When the end will come is as much a question of doubt and uncertainty now as it was a couple of months ago, and nobody is found bold enough to hazard a guess on it. But lawyer Brown is making thorough work of the business, which will give a more satisfactory result than to make haste at the expense of getting at bottom facts. It is due to all parties concerned that the investigation should be complete, and with anything less than that the public would not be satisfied. Therefore, so long as actual progress is being made the people will wait patiently for the end though it may be a long time in coming. The Governor seems to be the most impatient of all, and growing sicker every day of the affair.

The case grows to look better for the State and the almshouse management under the Marshes at every hearing. Already lawyer Brown has been able to make it clear that the institution was well managed by the late Superintendent, and if there was any lack anywhere it was on the part of the State in not furnishing sufficient help of the right kind to meet the wants and necessities of the large number of inmates of the place. He has also shown that the Governor's witnesses almost without exception were a very bad lot, utterly unworthy of belief, and the wonder is that so able and shrewd a lawyer should have gone to the country on the testimony of such people. Lawyer Brown is establishing a first class character for Tewksbury and relieving the management of the odium which Butler's irresponsible crowd temporarily cast upon it.

Lawyer Brown, too, has shown that he is a full match for His Excellency in legal acumen, and a good deal more so in professional courtesy and gentlemanly deportment. The fact is, he is managing the case admirably, and when he gets through it will be found that Tewksbury has been one of the best conducted public institutions of the Commonwealth.

It is rather expected that the Legislature will adjourn within a few days—perhaps on Monday next. It will ask the Governor to adjourn it to reassemble on August 27, if it has not already done so, and it is rumored that he will refuse the request. In that case it will take the opinion of the Supreme Court, and if that is favorable, reassemble on its own motion at the date named. An extra session will be necessary to receive the report of the Tewksbury investigating and other committees and it is more than likely His Excellency will comply with the Legislature's reasonable request.

The jury in the star route cases rendered a verdict of not guilty yesterday.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
W. V. L. A.—Books.
C. S. Goss—Yellow Book.
Town of Woburn—License.
Horse Dole—Boarding Wanted.
H. P. Hubbard—For Sale or Rent.
H. P. Hubbard—Elliott's Special Cure.
Five Cent Savings Bank—Mortgagee's Sale.

Ellen Callahan was taken to the Danvers Insane Asylum last Friday.

Hose 5 had a splendid evening for their concert. And it was a good one.

"A Day at Mount Auburn" will appear next week. It was received too late for this issue of the JOURNAL.

Leeds makes his own syrups and if his soda isn't tipped then we are no judge. It is luscious on a hot day.

The date of Charles Goodyear's birth given in the last JOURNAL, should have been 1800. Mistakes will happen.

Monday an additional mail will be here at 1.10 p. m. mail on. It will probably be found quite convenient.

Everett Haynes will leave next Monday for Bismark, Dakota, where his parents reside. The boys regret his leaving-taking.

The high shores of Horn Pond are well lined with people on hot nights and Sundays. It is delightful down there—just lovely.

The 1 o'clock last Sunday afternoon train out was detained for a couple of hours near the drawbridge by cars jumping the track.

The Mechanic Phalanx held an election last evening for choice of Captain to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Capt. Converse.

W. V. L. A. offer the loan of works on architecture to builders as will be seen by reference to the Secretary's card in this paper.

The bagpipes have been picking up pennies here this week. As a music producing instrument bagpipes are long way behind the handorgan and monkey.

We have had considerable excessively hot weather this week. It is seldom that the fore part of June furnishes weather so oppressively warm.

The First National Bank will close on Monday, it being a holiday.

Since the hot weather set in Mr. C. M. Strout has had a big trade in oil stoves, and his traffic in refrigerators hasn't been small. He keeps the best of both.

A JOURNAL subscriber in the South says: "The receipt of your paper is a great and regularly enjoyed pleasure." Whole families give the same testimony.

Rufus Pickering et ux. to Charles H. Pickering, \$8000, land and buildings on south side of Pond street, 1 acre; also land on a private way from Pond street, 4 acres.

The Woburn reporter of the *Globe* thinks the rate of taxation will not exceed \$17 on \$1000 this year. Perhaps, but then the figures are not made up yet. Last year it was \$19.

"Juvenile Sports" will find a place in this paper next week. The author is "Old Mill," who handles the very fair pen, except when politics, temperance or religion is his theme.

We have had several copious showers this week, and also some of the best weather that ever laid outdoors. Vegetation is just booming. All sorts of crops promise a bountiful harvest.

A brother-in-law of Mr. A. V. Haynes, who is visiting him here, had a delicate surgical operation performed on him for an abscess a few days since, from the effects of which it is hoped he will recover.

James N. Dow, Esq., Town Treasurer, returned from New Jersey with his wife on last Monday evening after a brief but pleasant visit. We were all pretty short for money while he was absent.

A top buggy made by Sargent, an open buggy made by Brewster, both in the best order, and two harnesses, may be bought at a bargain by application to Frank B. Pierce, or to G. W. Duren, Woburn.

Mr. Hanson has put his house on Canal street into excellent shape for the right kind of a tenant. Since the fire he has given it a complete overhauling and now it is one of the most desirable residences in town.

It looks as though quite a good many of our townspeople would compete for the prizes offered by the V. I. A. No one who has a garden or lawn could do better than to make an effort to secure one of the prizes.

Last Saturday the W. H. S. Base Ball Club went over to Montvale and beat the Stars by a score of 18 to 15, which was doing well. They have challenged the Lexington boys for a game to be played tomorrow.

By applying to Mr. S. W. Twombly at Twombly's residence, Wildwood street, Winchester, a fine residence may be purchased or rented on very favorable terms. It is a nice place and a good chance for somebody.

Last Saturday Mr. John W. Francis, janitor at the Public Library, cut one of his hands badly while trimming a tree. Dr. Harlow sewed up the wound, and Mr. Francis keeps right on making things about his lawn shine.

Mr. William Kimball came down from his mountain home in New Hampshire last week and paid his old stamping grounds a brief visit. We were all glad to see him. He speaks glowingly of his new nest among the granite hills.

Thomas H. Hill, Esq., of Woburn is one of the Massachusetts delegates to the National Reunion of the Grand Army of the Republic to be held at Denver, Col., on July 24th. This will be the grandest meeting of veterans ever held in this country.

We are in receipt of an interesting letter from "C. A. M.," descriptive of the great Railway Exposition in Chicago, which will appear in the JOURNAL next week. Another letter on the same subject is promised, which will be thankfully received.

The Rangleys fishermen—Parker, Thompson, Wood and Salsbourn returned on Saturday evening perfectly delighted with their trip. They had marvelous success, and hauled in scores of handsome Rangleys trout on which they feasted on to their hearts' content.

Rev. Mr. Simonson, pastor of the Baptist church, has not been well since Sunday, though he is now improving. He was not strong when he went to Saratoga, and since his return has undertaken to do too much work. Rest and care will bring him around all right.

This community deeply sympathize with our venerable and esteemed citizen, Mr. O. Rich, in the loss of his beloved wife. They have lived together forty-nine years peacefully and happily, and his loss is a great one. But the separation will not be for long at the longest.

If it keeps on raining every day or two, as it has for some weeks past, the Water Board will make money out of its contract with the Committee on Highways for water to sprinkle the streets. Pleasant street is getting along pretty comfortably too without sprinkling by the cart.

The time for picnics, beach parties, and that sort of thing, has got along again, and the large business will soon experience a revival. Mr. Jones has put his good ones into proper trim for conveying parties to anywhere they want to go, and is all fixed for the gay and festive season.

Mr. Charles S. Gosse, the wide-awake Boston advertising agent, dropped into the JOURNAL office on Tuesday and made himself agreeable for an hour or two. He is a Portland boy, smart, energetic, honest and entirely sound on the goose. He is doing a fine business as advertising agent in the city.

A delegation of our good Unitarian brethren including pastor Young and Judge Converse went to Bedford on Wednesday in one of Mr. Jones's nice barges, David Hoskins at the helm, to attend a denominational convention. They must have had a pleasant ride, but about the meeting we don't know.

Next Friday St. Johns Commandery of Knights of Templars will visit Boston and during their stay be the guests of Hugh De Payens Commandery of Melrose, Eminent Sir N. J. Simonds of Woburn, Commander, who will formally receive them at the Vendome and take them in tow. They'll have a big time.

Miss Blodgett, a very successful teacher of French pupils in this village, entertained her class of about twenty-five at the residence of Mr. Richards on Salem street last Friday evening. Everything was done up in the best of modern French—dishes, games, and conversation—in fact, it was a genuine French party, and quite a delightful one.

Mr. C. R. Rosenquist is canvassing for subscribers to an elegant work called "Home Worship" published by the well known New York house of A. C. Armstrong & Son. The price of the work is \$15, \$9, \$7.50 and \$6.50 according to binding, and well worth the money. It is highly recommended by clergymen and other Christian people.

The Sunday School of the First Congregational Church will celebrate its 65th anniversary next Sunday at 7 o'clock, p. m. Besides exercises by the school there will be addresses, and music by a select choir under the direction of Mr. John C. Buck, organist. The church will be appropriately decorated with mottoes, flowers, etc., for the occasion.

It is reported that the Woburn Five Cent Savings Bank wouldn't mind putting some of its surplus cash into the purchase of the Wade property of Tufts College if it could be got cheap enough. Some say it is worth full \$40,000, which we can't quite see, although it is valued for taxable purposes \$38,300. It is grand good business property.

The senior High School class, which will graduate on the 29th, contains 33 members—the largest that has ever graduated at that institution. The exercises will be very interesting this year. Some of the male members will enter different colleges in September, and several of the young ladies have already concluded to polish off their education at Wellesley.

The open-air concert by the Woburn Brass Band on Wednesday evening was an excellent one. It was the first of the season. Happily the rain did not seriously interfere with the entertainment, and the attendance was big. People from neighboring towns were present in great numbers, and there was a large turnout of our own folks. It was a very fine concert.

We clip the following notice from the *Nashua (N. H.) Telegraph* of June 6:

Mrs. Frank M. Pushee, a former resident of this city and a lady greatly beloved by a large circle of friends and acquaintances, died suddenly at her home in Woburn, Mass., on Monday. She leaves a husband, a daughter eight years of age and a baby one week old. Several Nashua people attended the funeral this afternoon.

There is a genuine boom at the Boston Clothing Company's store, John C. Buck, Manager. No wonder either when the prices are considered. Just think of getting a suit of clothes good enough to go to meeting in for less than \$2.00 all the way up as high as one has a mind to go. You can get a good straw hat there too for five cents. They are doing a big stroke of trade. See advertisement.

The National Band will give their first open air concert for the season on the Common on Wednesday evening, June 20, 1883.

PROGRAMME.
1. March. Revere.
2. Romanza. Spring Violets.
3. Selection. "Puck-a-Boo."
4. Corset Solo. Rejuvenation Polka.
5. Waltz. Brava of Collins.
6. Overture. Concert Polka.
7. Tubular. Concert Polka.
8. Overture. Squatter Sovereignty.
9. Grand. Yodeling Fire.
10. Finale. "Some Day I'll Wander Back."
P. CALMAN, Jr., Director.

At noon on last Friday John L. Perham, son of L. W. Perham, died at his father's residence on Fairmount street, aged 35 years. He was a member of L. W. Perham Hose Company, No. 1, and in all matters pertaining to the Fire Department always took a lively interest. He had many good friends here, and will be missed in the community. The funeral services took place on Sunday afternoon at the residence of his father, and was largely attended, the Engineers of the Department, members of the several Hose Companies and Hook & Ladder, No. 1, marching in a body as escort to the Salem street cemetery. The funeral procession was preceded by the Woburn Brass Band and a platoon of police. The pall-bearers were selected from Hose No. 1. The fire alarm was struck at intervals during the progress of the procession.

John G. Maguire, Esq., voted against the legislative salary-grab last week, and deserves credit for his vote, although we suspect he was actuated by something besides pure patriotism and regard for public economy in doing so. He knew pretty well that the Republicans would put the measure through, and he would get the additional pay as well as credit for voting against it. Mr. Maguire is a shrewd politician and generally looks before he leaps.

The last meeting of the "Woman's Club" for the summer was held, in accordance with the by-laws of the organization, on the first Friday of the present month. Rev. Chas. Anderson, of Woburn, delivered a finely written essay upon the "Women of the Orient." Additional interest was given to the paper by an extended photographic illustration of the shores of the Bosphorus. The next regular session of the Club is dated October 19, at which time Hon. T. W. Higginson of Cambridge, is announced.

Mr. John E. Russell, conductor on the No. Woburn street cars, has a copy of one of the earliest issues of the Woburn JOURNAL, printed in 1851, and prizes it. It is quite a curiosity and worthy of careful preservation. We have in our office a list of the original subscribers to the JOURNAL, framed and hung up, which is frequently looked over by old citizens. Many of the people whose names appear on the list are dead, and many more still take the paper, and have done so without interruption from the start—more than 32 years ago.

A meeting of the 4th of July committee was held at the residence of Mr. C. B. Bryant on Tuesday evening to canvass the question of a celebration this year. Nothing definite was decided on except to invite an expression of sentiment from the various civic and other societies of the town on the subject and ascertain what they will do, if anything, towards a proper observance of the day. Another meeting will be held next Tuesday evening at No. 1 Horse house, when, it is thought, it can be decided whether we have a celebration or not.

Last Sunday the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church in this village celebrated the sixty-fifth anniversary of its organization, and had a very pleasant and profitable session of it. The pastor, Rev. George H. Simonson, assisted by Rev. J. P. Abbott of Medford, O. M. Wentworth of Boston, and the officers of the school, conducted the interesting exercises in the forenoon and evening. The music was excellent, while pupils, teachers and all concerned acquitted themselves in the most creditable manner. We are told that the Baptist S. S. is in a flourishing condition.

Mr. Amos Cummings has had his reduced copy of "Picturesque Woburn" printed on heavy wedding paper, and now has several thousand copies ready to distribute among the people. It is a fine thing indeed, the details of the original drawing being preserved in wonderful manner. Buildings, streets, scenery, etc., are distinctly brought out in the picture so that any object may be recognized at a glance. The statistics of the town printed with the picture are valuable as a reference and for the information of strangers. It makes a very nice picture to send to distant friends, and we suspect there will be a great call for them at Cummings's.

On Tuesday last Archbishop Williams of Boston confirmed some two hundred and two candidates. Charles church in this village. He was assisted by Rev. F. S. Kenney, Murphy and McDonnell of St. Charles and several visiting clergymen. The ceremonies were very interesting. At an early hour the first communion was administered, after which there was a lunch, and following this the regular confirmation services. The young girls were all dressed in white with long white veils and presented a pretty picture. Several adults were included in the number confirmed. The services continued from an early hour in the morning to nearly 4 o'clock p. m.

Last Friday evening the postmaster here received a letter from B. H. Witcher of Oglethorpe county, Georgia, asking for information respecting the whereabouts of Luke R. Tidd. The letter says: "During the late war, I think in the summer of 1864, near Petersburg, Va., in an engagement, a member of the Sixth Georgia Regiment received from an officer, who had been captured, a sword, which he in turn gave to me, with the following inscription on the scabbard: 'Lieutenant L. R. Tidd, Thirtieth Massachusetts Regiment. From his friends in Woburn.' When I came home I deposited the sword in the Masonic Lodge at this place, and had forgotten it until recently, when I chanced to come across it." The writer desires to return the sword to its owner, and therefore wrote to the postmaster for information concerning him. It was presented to Capt. Tidd by the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, of which he was then a member, and on that account is highly prized by him. He lives and does business on Salem street and will doubtless take immediate steps to regain the long-lost token of respect and esteem of friends who presented it to him on his leaving here to fight for the Union and old flag.

The silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bosworth at their residence on Burlington street last Monday evening was a very pleasant affair. All the more so to the parties chiefly interested because it was a grand and complete surprise to them, the idea of celebrating the anniversary never having entered their heads. It was gotten up and carried out by good friends, which did not detract from the enjoyment of the happy occasion, but rather enhanced the charm of it. There were about forty of these present who brought valuable and beautiful gifts for the bride and groom of twenty-five years, by whom, as well as the family, much genuine social pleasure was enjoyed. A hundred or more Chinese lanterns illuminated the grounds of the Bosworth home which presented a very attractive and beautiful appearance, while the rooms of the residence were brilliantly lighted and decorated with choice floral designs. An elegant repast was furnished which was chief among the enjoyable features of the evening. Altogether it was a delightful party, and may Mr. and Mrs. Bosworth live to celebrate their Golden Wedding, aye, and their Diamond too.

Our Irish fellow-citizens held a large and spirited meeting in Lyceum Hall on Monday evening preliminary to the organization of a branch of the Irish National League in this village. The orator of the evening was Thomas Brennan, Esq., of Ireland, an eloquent champion of the Irish cause. Previous to the hour for opening the meeting the McClure Guards commanded by John A. Walsh, the Celtic Association, Division 3, A. O. H., and the Grattan Literary Association, headed by the National Band, escorted the eminent speaker through some of the principal streets and finally to the Hall where a good audience were in waiting for him. Lawrence Reade, Esq., was called to the Chair and presided over the meeting. Thomas H. Hill, Thomas Salmon and James Maguire of the Board of Selectmen, Wm. F. Kenney, Timothy Sheehan, William McDonough, John C. Meahan, Rev. Fr. Daley of Winchester, and others occupied seats on the platform with the Chairman and speaker. A large sprinkling of ladies were in the gallery, and by all a deep interest was taken in the address and proceedings. Mr. E. F. Cassidy read a series of resolutions indorsing the Philadelphia platform, which were adopted. Another meeting will be held next Sunday afternoon and a Branch organized.

The fifty-sixth quarterly convention of the Young Men's Christian Association of Eastern Massachusetts was held in this village on last Wednesday. There were from one hundred to a hundred and fifty members in attendance, mostly from abroad. The meeting was not only numerically respectable but it was an intelligent body of active workers in the great field of reform, as anybody could have told at a glance. The convention met in the Rooms of the Woburn Y. M. C. A. at 10 o'clock a. m., and was called to order by Mr. M. R. Denning, the District Secretary. After appropriate devotional exercises the meeting organized by the election of A. C. Russell of Lowell, President; Vice-President; and Mr. C. H. Coon of Charlestown, Secretary. At half past ten o'clock reports from Associations were made by delegates, which were interesting to the audience and officers. These exercises occupied the time until noon when the meeting adjourned.

The Arlington people have already sounded the key-note of their annual growl over the pollution of the lower Mystic Pond by drainage from the Woburn and Winchester tanneries, in which Medford is expected to join, after which, music. Last week the banks of the pond were covered with dead fish, and so offensive did the smell of them become that farmers were employed to cart them away for fertilizing. This is attributed to the drainage aforesaid, but whether justly or not is not a settled fact. At all events, by act of the Legislature Woburn and Winchester have a right to drain into the lower pond, and in doing so are nearly exercising their privileges, which they will probably continue to do for some years to come. Of course we don't like to annoy our neighbors down the road, but how can the difficulty be remedied, if it is a fact that Woburn and Winchester drainage effects the water there as alleged?

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Journal for dinner which was served in the vestry of the Congregational Church. During the recess the out-of-town delegates with many ladies, on invitation of the Committee, visited the Public Library, through which they were courteously conducted by Mr. Cutter, the Librarian, Mr. Francis, the Janitor, and members of the home Y. M. C. A. They expressed themselves surprised and delighted with the beautiful building, the Art Gallery, the spacious Reading-room, library, etc. They lingered here some time, and then scattered to take in other Woburn sights. The convention re-assembled at 2.30 o'clock and proceeded to business. This consisted of a discussion of the subject "Open-air Meetings: how best conducted," and "Work among boys: its methods and aims." At half past four Rev. A. B. Kendig of Lynn delivered a very fine address, which was closely listened to by the convention and visitors. The speaker is an able man, and an earnest Association worker. His subject was a live, every-day one, and handled with vigor and intelligence. At 6 o'clock the meeting was invited to a collation in the Congregational vestry, after which an hour was spent in social pleasures, greetings and rambles. The evening exercises began at 7.30 o'clock in the Methodist church, the change of place being occasioned by the expected bad concert on the Common. The afternoon rain and threatening weather in the evening prevented many people from attending the meeting, and yet there was a fair audience. Business occupied the first part of the meeting: appropriate resolutions were adopted: the report of the committee on credentials was accepted: on invitation it was decided to hold the next convention at Gloucester. At the close of business, Mr. Bliss, the eminent evangelist, sang a piece very finely, and then preached an excellent sermon on "salvation." At 8.15 some thirty or more people left the church to take the home train to the great annoyance of those left. The attendance on the convention was larger than common, and the exercises throughout very interesting and profitable.

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The other, Henry Wimbley, stabbed a fellow-workman in the back. He was tried during the same session of the court in which Bailey was tried, and was defended by three prominent lawyers. His case was taken to the Supreme Court, but without success, and he was sentenced to hang on the same day with Bailey. His lawyers stood by him to the last, one of them endeavoring to free him on a writ of lunacy. Last Friday was the day set for the execution, which was public, and a crowd of 5,000 persons was present. During the confinement of the prisoners previous to their execution their only visitors and friends were white people, their own race totally ignoring their condition and apparently callous and indifferent as to their fate. The Catholic clergy and Sisters of Mercy were constantly with them, and the unfortunate negroes were received into the Catholic church. Not a Protestant minister of their own race ministered unto them. They were wholly deserted by their former colored friends, and their only sympathizers were among the white people, whom "Puck" vilifies so outrageously in the cartoon to which I have referred. The execution was conducted with the utmost decency. The prisoners were allowed to have their priest with them, were granted all liberty of speech they desired, and after their execution were given to their relatives for decent burial. This picture is not overdrawn. It is a simple statement of facts made in justice to a long calumniated people, and to refute the unjust assertion so often made of the cruel conduct of the white people to the black. It is true that many negroes go unpunished in the South as well as in the North, but during seven years residence in this section I have yet to learn of an unjustifiable killing being committed for which the murderer, if captured, was not made to pay the penalty of his crime. The Southern man is quick to resent an insult, and many a deadly blow is struck which a jury justifies, but murders in cold blood are rare occurrences, and when committed the negro is generally the murderer. Lynch law is not held in any higher esteem here than in the more thickly populated section of the country, and the instances which I have given will show that the utmost care is taken not only to give the negro every legal showing, but to allow him the benefit of clergy of his own choosing, and to execute his sentence calmly, quietly and without malice.

GEORGIA AND THE FAIR.
I am sorry to know that Georgia's chances for being represented as a State at the coming exposition are exceedingly small. No money has been or will be appropriated by the Legislature for this purpose, and the newly elected Governor and his staff will not attend. Georgia has abundant facilities for a grand display. She is rich in natural products, and I am certain that, were she as well known to her Northern sisters as she should be, the one thing needful for making her literally the "Empire State" of the South would be called forth by her exhibit at the fair. The most available water power, the most genial climate, the richest soil in the South are her advantages, and capital alone seems lacking to make her appearance in the front ranks of progress in enterprise and intellect certainly. But the constitution of the State distinctly denies the right of any executive power to use the people's money for such a purpose. Individual exhibits will, however, be made, and a very correct idea of the resources of the State can thus be obtained.

THE GREAT "UNRECONCILED."
I met, for the first time, the other day in Macon, Gen. Robert Toombs, the "great unreconciled." He was in the city on professional business, and during his stay was called on by many citizens with whom he conversed freely. Gen. Toombs is now in the twilight of life, and I am told that he is a shadow of his former self. I listened to one of his conversations at the hotel, in which reminiscences of war days, opinion of Northern people and profanity were badly mixed. Some one asked: "General, are the North-

ern people beginning to credit our people with their true worth?" "Yes," replied he, "they are beginning to tell the truth at last. But in one way they still show their old spirit. They still continue to heap abuse upon the head of Davis." The General, soon after arose for refreshments, and I was left to ponder on this first look at a great man. The impression left on my mind was one of wonder and pity; wonder at the strength of intellect which was still so apparent in one whose appetite for stimulants had wrecked him physically, and pity that so much profanity should be scattered through the remarks of so remarkable an old man.

ETCETERAS.
Summer came suddenly upon us, and the thermometer is now cuckooing in the nineties. The Butler boom was started here a short time since, but struck a snag in the shape of the General's famous order concerning the women of New Orleans, and now lies, battered and torn at the feet of its starters. People are slow in forgiving us if Butler's Presidency depends on the "solid South," the presidential chair will never be occupied by the "Duke of Tewksbury."

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Upper Railroad, 7:30, 9 A. M., 12 M., 2:30, 5:35,
7:30 P. M.; Peterboro, 7:30 A. M., 3:30 P. M.;
Ret. 6:45 A. M., 8:30 P. M.; Keene, Greenfield and
stations on Manchester and Keene R. R., 7:30 A. M.,
3:30 P. M.

Ret. leave Keene 6:00 A. M., 2:30 P. M.;
Wilton, and Milford, 7:30 A. M., 3:30, 5:35 P. M.;
Nashua, 7:30, 9 A. M., 12 M., 3:30, 5:35, 7:30 P. M.;
Lowell, 7:30, 9 A. M., 12 M., 1:15, 3:30, 5:45,
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HIS PAST LIFE, PRESENT PLANS, AND WHAT HE HAS TO SAY UPON A SUBJECT THAT ASTONISHED HIM.

(New York Times.)

Nearly forty years ago a young man of unusual endowments, began to mould public opinion upon a subject of vital importance. Like all pioneers, his early efforts were unsuccessful, but his ability and the value of his work soon won public confidence, and to-day there is not a village or hamlet in the country that has not been influenced by Dr. Dio Lewis. When, therefore, it was learned yesterday that he contemplated the establishment of a large magazine in this city, the fact was deemed so important that a representative of this paper was commissioned to see him and ascertain the truth of the rumor.

Dr. Dio Lewis is a gentleman of sixty years and two hundred pounds, with snow-white hair and beard, but probably the most perfect picture of health and vigor in the metropolis. He is a living exponent of his teachings, and notwithstanding the amount of work he has already done, promises still greater activity for years to come. He received the interviewer most courteously, and in reply to a question said: "It is true I have come to New York to establish a monthly magazine. I have come here for the same reason that I went to Boston 25 years ago. Then Boston was the best platform in the country from which to speak of education. New York has now become most hospitable to progressive thoughts, and especially so to movements on behalf of physical training.

"I have reason to know the great and abiding interest of the American people in this subject. They have come to realize that the future of our country pivots upon our physical vitality, and especially upon the vigor of our women. My new Magazine will bear the title 'Dio Lewis's Monthly,' and be devoted to Sanitary and Social Science. I hope through its pages to inaugurate a new departure in hygiene."

"Have you not written several books on the subject?"
"Yes, nine volumes, and some of them, like 'Our Girls,' published by the Harpers, have had an enormous circulation, but the best work of my life I shall give to the world in the new magazine. Forty years of skirmishing ought to conclude with ten years of organized warfare."

"Doctor, what is the occasion of this new interest in the health questions?"
"It has come through suffering, which seems the only road to self knowledge. The stomach, heart, kidneys or liver fall into trouble, happiness is gone, and then people give attention to their health."

"Which of these organs is most frequently the victim of our errors?"
"Within the last few years diseases of the kidneys have greatly multiplied. When I was engaged in practice, thirty-five and forty years ago, serious disease of the kidneys was rare; but now distressing frequent and fatal."

"To what do you attribute this great increase of kidney troubles?"
"To the use of stimulating drinks, adulterated food and irregular habits of life."

"Doctor, have you any confidence in the remedy of which we hear so much now-a-days, 'Warner's Safe Cure'?"

"I believe in the ounce of prevention, rather than in a ton of cure."

"But have you noticed the remarkable testimonials of Warner's remedy?"

"I have, and confess that they have puzzled me. The commendations of proprietary medicines usually come from unknown persons residing in back countries. But I see in our most reputable newspapers the warmest praise of Warner's Safe Cure from College Professors, respectable physicians and other persons of high intelligence and character. To trust such testimony aside may be professional, but it is unmanly. No physician can forget that valuable additions to our Materia Medica have sprung from just such sources. I was impressed with this cloud of witnesses that I purchased some bottles of Warner's Safe Cure at a neighboring drug store, and analyzed one of them to see if it contained anything poisonous. Then I took three of the pre-scribed doses at once, and found there was nothing injurious in it. I do not hesitate to say that if I found my kidneys in serious trouble, I should use this remedy, because of the hopelessness of all ordinary treatment, and because when a hundred intelligent and reputable persons unite in the statement that a certain remedy has cured them of a grave malady, I choose to believe that they speak the truth."

"But as you may know, my great interest in life lies in prevention. For forty years I have labored in this field. One of the phases of my work in New England was the establishment of the Ladies' Seminary at Lexington, Mass. My aim was to illustrate the possibilities in the physical training of girls during their school life. This institution became before I left it, the largest and most successful Seminary for young women owned and managed by one person, in our country. I sat down to dinner every day with a family of two hundred persons. The remarkable results of this muscle training among girls were given in my paper published

in the North American Review of December, 1882.

"Besides, I established the Normal Institute for Physical Training in Boston, and for ten years was its President and Manager. Dr. Walter Channing, Dr. Thomas Hoskins, Professor Leonard and others were among its teachers, and more than four hundred persons took its diploma and went out into all parts of the land to teach the new school of gymnastics. And now the years left to me I propose to devote to the magazine which I have come here to establish. It will be the largest periodical ever devoted to this field of literature, and will present the hundred and one questions of hygiene with the simplicity of a child's talk. To this end all so-called learning will be subordinated. The magazine will be more or less illustrated, and will strive to reach a high place in the confidence and hearts of the people. In a few weeks our first number will appear and we shall fondly hope for it a hearty welcome."

The facts above narrated are indeed most important. It is gratifying to know that the life long experiences of a gentleman who stands without a peer in successfully demonstrating the principles of hygiene; whose heart has always been in sympathy with the afflicted, and whose brain has ever been active in planning for their relief, are to be given to the public through the pages of a magazine. And it is especially significant and proof positive of rare merit that a proprietary medicine, even with such high standing as Warner's Safe Cure is known to have, should be endorsed and recommended by a man so able, so reputable and of such national renown as Dr. Dio Lewis.

For the Journal.

A Day at Mount Auburn.

A pleasant drive over smooth roads, past handsome houses, neatly laid out grounds, cultivated gardens and fields, brought us to the western entrance of this beautiful city of the dead. We linger to admire the vernal beauty of the well-kept turf, the variety and loveliness of shrubs and flowers devoted to the memory of departed friends. Whichever way we turn, the eye rests upon monuments carved with rare skill, erected to illustrious dead, for here lie authors, orators, statesmen, clergymen, laymen. The rich, the poor, the miser, the benefactor—the dust of all mingling in common earth. Costly marbles tell the name and good deeds of those who lie beneath. Some, perchance, are here whose only epitaph is written in loving hearts far away. Some are lavish and ostentatious in emblematic designs, while others only a plain headstone marks the place where the sleeper reposes.

A touching tribute lay upon a new made grave covered with flowers, wrought in various designs. We read from one of the cards attached, "From Sabbath School Class." Gone to thy reward, we thought—"Servant of God, well done"—that voice had called thee upward and onward. On the brow of a hill, overlooking a pleasant valley, surrounded by an iron fence, stands a small granite boulder, on which we read the name "Agassiz," what more appropriate memorial could this great and good man have than this, brought from his native land and from the spot where he first discovered the movement of the glacier? Near by is the cenotaph of Margaret Fuller (Comtesse Assall). Upon the marble is carved her portrait in which is recognized that strength and depth of character she was known to possess. On another path not far away stands a marble cross encircled with fern leaves, the tribute of a friend to the memory of that sprightly writer, Mrs. Lawton (Fanny Fern). Passing along westward, we come to the Chickering monument, a finely carved Italian marble. On the same avenue over the other side of the hill is a lonely grave covered with myrtle. At the head rises a tall, majestic shaft of light granite, with simply the name "Charlotte Cushman."

Most grateful to visitors is the shelter from the blazing sun, of the vine-clad chapel. We listen to its sepulchral echoes and look with interest upon the statues of Winthrop and Story, guardians of this beautiful place. But what is that huge granite block yonder, upon which is sculptured the face of a woman upon the body of a beast? Do the people of the present day need thus to be reminded of Greek mythology, or the sorcery and orgies of Egyptians? Do we need to go back to headhunting for subjects of interest to be placed in public places? In the legends of the poets the Sphinx was said to have been sent by Mars to avenge the death of his son. Among the Egyptians the head of a man on the body of a lion was used to embellish the avenues to their temples as types of the mysterious nature of the Deity. As we bade adieu to the restful, sombre shades of Mount Auburn, we were more than ever impressed with the mystery of life and death. Not heathen mythology nor the Sphinx can solve it—it is a profound mystery.

It is Useless
for young ladies who are troubled with freckles, pimples, moth and tan and a bad skin generally to use liquid paints or dry powders, for they only make the skin look well for the time being. To have a good complexion you must have pure blood. Use Sulphur Bitters and your skin will be fair and complexion rosy.—Young Ladies' Magazine.

(From the Boston Journal.)

The Business Situation.

There is a general impression that there has been an improvement in the business situation during the past ten days. Trade is generally more active than ten days ago, due to the summer weather. Furthermore, the weather of the past week has largely determined the crop question, as it has been hot and showery in all parts of the country. The prospect of the winter wheat has not improved, but the promise of the spring wheat is excellent. It is too early to make predictions respecting the corn crop, but the past ten days is corn weather. The cotton crop is late and reports until the past week have not been favorable, but telegrams published by the Financial Chronicle of Saturday show a very decided improvement. The reports from Europe are much more favorable for crops than those earlier in the season. The tendency of the prices of breadstuffs is downward, but speculative movements and the impression that crops will be short have maintained a sort of artificial standard here. Crop reports from New England, as far as estimates can be made, are very favorable. So far as growth is concerned a fall hay crop is assured. In two or three lines of production there appear evidences of over-production. This is indicated in the iron trade by the further decline in pig iron. Still there is a better feeling than prevailed a few weeks since. It now remains to be seen if producers can make it profitable to manufacture iron at the present prices. If they can, the advocates of high tariff have lost their argument. In the woolen trade there appears to be a like stagnation. The prices of wool are lower than they have been for some time—a fact which many attribute to the lower tariff. The tariff, however, has nothing to do with the lower prices. A matter of fact, it is due to the unfavorable condition of the woolen goods market, which is largely overstocked in some lines. These stocks are held back for better prices or because no price can be obtained for them. Quite a number of woolen mills will run half time or shut down during the summer. There has been an improvement in the stock market during the past week. There is no specific cause for this except the general improvement in business in other ways, the causes of apprehension, such as general strikes, short crops, falling off in railroad earnings and increase of business failures, have ceased to exist. The country has passed through another period of possible danger and grave apprehension in comparative safety, and is prepared to enter upon another season moderate prosperity and full employment.

Boats, Bicycles and Hay Fever.

Nature has resolved that all the people shall not enjoy themselves at once. With the opening of the season of outdoor sports comes the time of trouble for the poor victims of Hay Fever. For then flowers have no odor, and the summer lily or no beauty. To sniff, sneeze and wipe their weeping eyes for three or four successive months—this is their pitiable portion. Whether this form of catarrh is called hay-fever, hay-cold, rose-cold or rose-fever, makes no difference; it suffers just the same. There is no help in sea-voyages, there is no help in high mountain air. These only lighten the pocket and leave the disease unabated. But there is a positive cure in Ely's Catarrh Balm. We could cram these columns with grateful letters of the rescued. Try it and join them. If you continue to suffer it is because you neglect a remedy as sure as this is cheap and pleasant.

LITERARY NOTICES.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for July contains the following articles: The Witche's Daughter, frontispiece; A Famous London Suburb, 13 illustrations; Conventional Art, 14; The Romanoffs, 4; Born to Good Luck, 14; The Declaration of Independence, The Fee of the Drummer, The Second Generation of Englishmen in America, 5; Thy Love, Chatterbox and his Associates, 6; Quite Private, Cincinnati, 20; Song, 11; A Castle in Spain, 5; The Education of Women, Aunt Maria and the Autophony, Political Honors in China, Editor's Easy Chair, Editor's Literary and Historical Recollections, Drawer, etc.

Sold by Sparrow Horton at the old Woburn Book Store.

In the NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW for July, President Julius H. Seelye writes of Dynamite as a Factor in Civilization, taking of the subject the reassuring view that dynamite being merely a symptom of present discontent, is necessarily a transient social phenomenon, which will quickly disappear as the institutions of government are brought more into harmony with the interests and aspirations of the masses of the people. In The Last Days of the Rebellion Lieutenant-General P. H. Sheridan recounts the operations of the cavalry divisions under his command during the week preceding the surrender of Lee, and offers a highly important contribution to the history of the war. William S. Holman, M. C., makes a striking exhibit of The Increase of Public Expenditures, and insists upon the necessity for unceasing vigilance on the part of the people, lest the burdens of governmental administration become intolerable. Democracy and Moral Progress, by O. B. Frothingham, is a philosophic forecast of the probable outcome of government by the people themselves. Z. R. Brockway, Superintendent of the Reformatory at Elmira, N. Y., points out some needed Reforms in Prison Management; Thomas Sergeant Perry writes of Science and the Imagination; Geo. E. Waring, Jr., of Sanitary Drainage; Elbridge T. Gerry of Cruelty to Children; and finally there is a Symposium on Church Attendance—the question whether the churches are growing to be less of a power for good now than in former times—the symposium being a Non-Church-Giver, Dr. Wm. Hayes Ward, Rev. Dr. James M. Pullman, and Rev. Dr. H. J. Hyland. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for July is on our table and even more brilliant than usual. The leading illustrated article is entitled Where Colonel Newcome Died, and will be read with the greatest interest, by every admirer of Thackeray. The principal story is a Fifth Avenue Romance, a novel of which the first four chapters are given, and which, besides being written with great spirit, is evidently from the pen of one entirely at home in the society she describes. The other stories, however, are all except a story of a steel-engraving, Little Mischiefs, after a picture by Sir Joshua Reynolds; a man, steel, colored fashion-plate; The Reap, With Her Groom; and nearly fifty wood-engravings of fashions, embroidery, etc. A new volume begins with the month, affording an excellent opportunity to subscribe. The terms are but TWO DOLLARS a year, with great deductions to clubs. Address PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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M. de Lesseps states that the evaporating power of the sun is less on the site of the proposed inland sea of the Sahara than on the Red sea, and he does not anticipate that the waters will dry up.

"Neglected old friends for the sake of new, and lose both." But remember that Kidney-Wort is a friend you cannot afford to neglect. Plasters may relieve, but they can't cure that lame back, for the kidneys are the trouble and you want a remedy to act directly on their secretions, to purify and restore their healthy condition. Kidney-Wort has that specific action.

Literary matron—"What does Shakespeare mean by his frequent use of the phrase, 'Go to?' Matter-of-fact husband—"Well, perhaps he thought it wouldn't be polite or proper to finish the sentence."

Invigorating Food
For the brain and nerve is what we need in these days of rush and worry. Parker's Ginger Tonic restores the vital energies and brings good health and joyous spirits quicker than anything you can use.—Tribune.

A Brooklyn boy imitates with his mouth the sound of a lawn mower, and some respectable citizen will probably be in court on a charge of assassination before the summer is out, and the boy will be at rest.

Mr. Geo. W. Knapp, of Waltham, Mass., says: "I have removed an enlargement on my horse's knee which a V. S. pronounced incurable, by the use of Ellis's Spavin Cure. I think this is a very flattering testimonial." Its only one of many hundred, however. Thanks, all the same.

The president's yacht is undergoing repairs. As the yacht is on land, Navy Secretary Chandler's stomach will, doubtless, permit him to see that all the leaks are reliably caulked.

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Newton was not a gourmand, but he loved neither lettuce nor women. We are not surprised that he didn't love lettuce, but women—well, perhaps they were not cooked to suit him, though most persons like 'em raw.

Faded hair recovers its youthful color and soft, silky texture by the use of Parker's Hair Balm.

It appears that the leaf of a plant can transform into useful work as much as forty per cent. of the solar energy it receives and absorbs.

From Messrs. E. O. Honors & Son, 222 Chestnut Street, Lynn, Mass., come the following: "Ellis's Spavin Cure cured one of our horses of a large Bone Spavin."

Yes, my son, it is quite commendable in you that you should wish to see the world; but remember there are better ways of seeing it than through the bottom of a tumbler.

A pig seems to be the best subject for medical students to experiment on, as he could be killed first and cured afterwards.

Bob Burdette says that his invalid wife made him all his. That's right; blame it to your wife.

The pulp made from the fiber of the palmetto tree has proved to be a fine paper material and is consequently attracting the attention of both scientists and capitalists. A company at Washington, D. C., is now engaged in the manufacture of paper from this material. The erection of a mill at Jacksonville, Fla., for the purpose of converting the raw material into pulp, is also announced. The mill, which is to cost \$150,000, will, it is said, produce twenty tons of pulp per day.

A California paper states that a year or more since a gate post that had been painted with so-called zinc white, was noticed to appear black all day, gray in the twilight and white during the night. On an investigation of this singular property of the paint, the cause was shown to exist in a new metal, which has been named actinium, on account of its peculiar actinic effects. It is found in zinc ores, and resembles zinc.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.
All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

TEWKSBURY.

The Tewksbury almshouse investigation seems to be as lively as ever, with the end apparently as far off. The testimony of Superintendent Marsh, who has been on the stand this week, shows, if anything more were needed, that the institution has been well conducted, and there is really nothing to complain of in its past management. The Governor was altogether too brash when he pitched into this matter, and would have been better off to have let it alone.

NEW HAMPSHIRE SENATORS.

Balloting for United States Senators continues in the New Hampshire Legislature with little prospect of making an early choice. Senator Rollins is losing ground, and his election is not probable. A dark horse will most likely win the race.

THE LEGISLATURE.

The Great and General Court of this Commonwealth is still in session, waiting, we suppose, for the close of the Tewksbury investigation. Next to no business is being done, and the members are longing for home.

Floods still continue to prevail in portions of the West doing an immense amount of damage. The latest sections to be visited by the devastating element are Council Bluffs in Iowa, and St. Louis and the rich farming country on the Illinois side of the river. Tens of thousands of acres of corn and grain have been destroyed, homes swept away, cattle drowned, and some human lives lost. What with cyclones and floods the West has experienced trying times this season.

On Tuesday the Senate refused to adopt a resolution asking Gov. Butler to prorogue the Legislature until August 27, four Republicans, for one reason and other, voting against it. If it is true as alleged that the Governor will refuse to respond favorably to such a request nothing was lost by the Senate's action.

At the Tewksbury examination on Tuesday, Governor Butler threatened to leave unless Lawyer Brown stopped calling him names. He got very mad indeed, especially at the Chairman of the Committee who "sassed" His Excellency worse if anything than Lawyer Brown did. It was rather a pretty exhibition by our Chief Magistrate.

The 70th birthday of Henry Ward Beecher was celebrated in the Brooklyn Academy of Music last Monday. It was a brilliant affair and a flattering tribute to the eminent divine. Henry is aging, and will soon go out of harness.

It is suspected that Hon. William E. Chandler, Secretary of War, would not decline to become the dark horse in the New Hampshire Senatorial election if strongly urged to do so.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

H. H. Warner—No. 84.
F. M. Parker—Citation.
First National Bank—Statement.
J. W. Johnson—Mortgagee's Sale.
Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank—Notice.

Next Wednesday is Independence Day.

Thursday was a hot one, and sticky.

Mr. James Buel's 26-year old horse has passed in his checks.

We promised Mr. Burgess not to mention the strawberries he gave us, and so—

Spaulding's newly re-vamped express wagon is named the "City of Woburn."

The schools have all shut down for the summer. The teachers will soon be fitting.

Smith & Son have a change of card in this paper. Please read it. This firm is full of business.

There was a nice little rain on Wednesday which must have proved quite refreshing to garden truck.

The grand concert by the Woburn Brass Band on the 4th will be given on the Common at 9 o'clock. Don't forget it.

Grattan Literary Association will picnic in Hiawatha Grove on July 3d. A first rate committee have the matter in hand.

There is to be a band concert on the Common in the evening of the 4th. The grounds and town will be brilliantly illuminated.

A very slight change in the timetable of the North Woburn Street Railway has been made, to take effect on and after July 2.

Last Monday evening Bernard McDermott's team ran away and smashed things pretty badly. It was corralled on Main street.

The new style of window blinds kept by Mr. C. M. Strout are just what are needed in hot weather. Samples can be seen at his store.

Mr. William F. Kenney takes the place of Mr. Smith as Woburn reporter of the Boston Globe. He will make a lively pick-up of items.

Some of our farmers have begun haying and they all will be up to their eyes in the work by the 5th prox. The crop promises to be a bountiful one.

The out-door concert by the Brass Band was postponed on Wednesday evening on account of the rain which poured down nearly all night in floods.

Mr. Thomas A. Buckler, a carpenter living on Lowell street, fell from a building on Wednesday evening, and seriously hurt. Dr. Graves was called.

The St. Charles S. T. A. will hold their annual picnic in Hiawatha Grove on the 4th. Preparations are being made for a large and pleasant time.

Mr. Smith, the tea merchant, has closed out his stock, and Mr. Peter Kenney, the lessee, is putting the store into fine style for a first class ice cream saloon.

In the case Dr. Harlow against Whitchea a pro forma verdict was rendered in the Superior Court the other day, and then sent up to the full bench on report.

Last Saturday we received copies of Salt Lake papers from Leonard Thompson, Esq., of the Raymond California Excursion Party, for which he will accept our thanks.

There was a special meeting of the Board of Selectmen on Tuesday evening at which routine business done, and liquor licenses granted to Claffy and McDonough.

Notices are posted forbidding the sale of toy pistols in this town. This is a wise and judicious step on the part of the selectmen. Toy pistols should be everlastingly tabooed.

Pleasant street is getting into a condition that makes a fellow sea sick to ride over it. When is that mendaciousizing to begin? It is time something was done to mend that way.

At the Supreme Court last Tuesday the Woburn liquor dealers were brought to realize that the Law and Order League is a power in the land, though they had reckoned otherwise.

There is a great demand for Mr. Cummings's photo-electric of Picturesque Woburn to send to friends as well as for preservation by our citizens. It is a very fine thing for either purpose.

We have had some more very hot weather this week, but for the major part of the time it has been tempered with cool east winds from the briny deep which were very delicious.

Capt. Luke R. Tidd's sword, mentioned in these columns recently, has arrived in Woburn and is in possession of Col. Grammer. It is proposed to properly celebrate the event, for the arrangements are now being made.

Major McDonald is making frequent sales of his leather-working machine, and the prospect for future business in them is good. From all that is said we judge that Major McDonald's stands at the head of all other machines.

Burbank Relief Corps held its annual meeting at which the following officers were elected:—President, Mrs. A. Brooks; Vice-President, Mrs. A. E. Cutler; Secretary, Mrs. S. A. Nichols; Treasurer, Mrs. A. Murdoch. The Corps is prospering.

There is to be boat racing on Horn Pond on the 4th of July by crews made up from the employees in the Russell heel-stiffening shops. We have an idea that these races will afford about as much pleasure as anything on the bill of fare for that day.

Last week Mr. G. W. Nichols received a handsomely printed roster of the regiment to which he belonged when in the service, which he has framed, making a nice picture. It contains a great deal of information respecting the regiment, and is valuable.

An adjourned meeting will be held this evening in G. A. R. Hall for the purpose of organizing a company of the Sons of Veterans. The meeting last Friday night was very well attended, at which the proper steps were taken to get up a company. A full attendance is requested for this evening.

Peter Costell lost the end of his left forefinger in a cutting machine in Simonds's shop last Friday. A little son of Thomas Moore cut off his left thumb with a knife last Monday.

John Murray, a lad living on Main street, was severely injured by a limb of a tree falling on him Wednesday evening.

The cases against numerous Woburn liquor sellers were all disposed of in the Circuit Court at Cambridge last Tuesday. Verdicts of guilty were rendered in all but one of them, and they will go to the Supreme Court on exceptions. One defendant paid up and concluded that she would contend no further. The verdicts were a surprise to the respondents, as they expected an easy victory over the prosecution. But one can't almost always tell about such things.

Mr. Mark Allen is a successful farmer, besides being a fair sort of editor. We have found out that on Sunday last he dined sumptuously on green peas the seeds from which they grew having been planted in the first week in May. He has also a very nice stand of potato vines ready for the California beetle.

The Reading Chronicle was promptly on hand last Saturday although the office with type, machinery and everything was burned to the ground just a week before. The establishment was partially insured, over and above which however the proprietor's loss was heavy. He has grit and enterprise though.

On Saturday it was telephoned from Montvale that a man was bleeding to death at the glue factory and to send a doctor at once. When Dr. Graves got there he found Patrick Crenan bleeding profusely at the nose and had been for some time. A good job of plugging stopped the flow of blood, and Mr. Crenan is now all right.

Our citizens propose to have prepared and sent to B. H. Witcher of Point Peter, Oglesboro Co., Georgia, suitable testimonial for his kindness in bringing to light, and sending to us, the sword of Captain Tidd. The formalities of its reception, and the presentation will take place at Capt. Tidd's residence on Friday evening July 6.

We shall esteem it a favor if those of our people who contemplate leaving town for a longer or shorter period during the vacation—and the most of them have such intent—would acquaint the JOURNAL of the time of their leaving, of their destination, and about the length of their stay-away. To do so would make it pleasant all round.

Mr. Kensett Champney, son of our eminent artist, Mr. Benjamin Champney, is at home here on a short visit. He is successfully engaged in the cultivation of coffee in Guatemala, a brief sketch of his operations being given by a valued correspondent in this paper. From present prospects Mr. Champney and his partner are on the road to large wealth.

The Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank has an important notice in this paper. The annual meeting for the choice of officers takes place on July 9, but the most important fact to us in the notice is that which assures us that the money which we deposit before the 9th will draw interest from the first of July. We are looking sharp after our interest these days.

The following are the newly elected officers of Brewster Colony, No. 19, of Pilgrim Fathers:—Governor, M. W. Strout; Lieut. Governor, J. S. Huse; Secretary, O. P. Rogers; Collector, H. S. Dickson; Treasurer, J. W. Field; Chaplain, A. V. Haynes; Sergeant-at-Arms, P. L. Eaton; Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms, Mrs. Mary J. Beach; Sentinel, Inner Gate, J. E. Furlong.

Anent the Japanese ivy that is so beautifully decorating our Public Library building—two eminent writers in the London Lancet have recently said that the Japanese ivy, which is of the same family as the Virginia creeper, possesses extremely poisonous properties and is dangerous to handle. Visitors to our Library should bear this fact in mind and refrain from handling the ivy which is rapidly crawling up and covering the building.

The following are the officers of Perseverance Division, No. 6, Sons of Temperance:—W. P. Charles B. Johnson; W. A. Thomas I. Brown; R. S. Charles F. Carling; A. R. S. Miss Ollie Baker; F. S. William Redford; T. R. F. Ellis; Chap. J. Sellers; Con. H. A. Fultz; A. C. Miss O. E. Dickinson; I. S. Miss Bessie Porter; O. S. Austin Crowell. The foregoing officers will be publicly installed next Monday evening.

The Wakefield Citizen and Banner pays the following compliment to the lady who superintends the Woburn Telephone Exchange:—"The young lady who answers to the perpetual 'hello' of telephone subscribers at the central office at Woburn seems to be the right person in the right place. Always patient, accommodating and uncomplaining, she greatly facilitates the transmission of messages from obtuse and inexperienced callers."

T. Marvin Parker is Chairman of the Antique Committee, which means a big and novel thing. "The circus will start precisely at 6 o'clock, A. M., so people must get up early to see it. It will be escorted by the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, with music by the Woburn Brass Band, and is bound to be one of the parades that will make more fun than a three-cattle team can haul. We make frequent mention in this paper of the "doings" of the 4th. Briefly, there has already commenced the fun a big "laughter" in prices, and there has begun in dead earnest. Our readers should lose no time in taking advantage of this opportunity to buy cheap.

Leonard Thompson, Esq., and wife returned home on Wednesday morning from their California trip with the Raymond excursion party, both well and fresh. They left Chicago on Monday evening, after remaining there a few days with their son, came by the Canada route, and arrived quickly and without accident as stated. Mr. Thompson informs us that the trip was

Last Monday evening Thomas Cavanaugh and wife, under the influence of intoxicating liquors, had a rumper at their home in Montvale when Thomas flung a case-knife across the table which the wife caught on the fly with her ear and received quite a wound. Thomas was arraigned in the District Court on Tuesday and sentenced to four months in the House of Correction. If there had been no poison whiskey in the case there would have been no row, and Cavanaugh would not now be languishing within prison walls.

Pierce Murray and Thomas Ryan, two of Woburn's rum sellers, have been let off on payment of costs of prosecution, on proving to the Court that they had abandoned the liquor business. Two more solid victories for the L. and O. L.—[Arlington Advocate.] True, and there are several others ready to be plucked. The League are doing yeoman's service in the cause, and it is to be hoped they will not rest on their oars until rum-selling shall be no more. Rum-selling is an infernal business, isn't it, neighbor Advocate?

About 7 o'clock on Monday evening a four-year-old boy of Mr. John Doherty, who lives on Water street, fell into a stream near Horn Pond, and but for timely assistance would have been drowned. An older brother rushed in after him but was not strong enough to bring him out and both sank together. Just then John Harkins, who was near by, discovered the trouble, and diving at once rescued both boys who he found closely clinging to each other. Dr. Conway, who was immediately sent for, after a while restored them to consciousness. It was a very narrow escape.

One of the best features of the celebration of the 4th will be the Antique Parade, or "Ancient and Horribles," in the morning. It will be something out of the stereotyped course and well worth getting up early to see. The prizes offered will be an inducement for the boys to do their best, and they will be sure to do it. The prizes are: first, \$50; second, \$20; third, \$10; fourth, \$5; fifth, \$3; and six at \$2 each, making in all an even \$100. There will be a big competition for this money, which will render the Antique Parade a big feature of the "day we celebrate."

Last Wednesday evening Mr. Mark Downs, bookkeeper for Mr. John Cummings on the West Side, hitched his team in the sheds of Congregational church and while it was standing there some malicious person unbuckled the tugs and breeching, and left. When it was taken out by Downs the tugs came out of the lugs which frightened the horse and made things look a little squally. The horse made a dash and threw the driver Downs over the dashboard to the ground. He was not much hurt, though he had a very narrow escape. Whoever did the mischief should be punished.

We note that people are beginning to lay out their plans for the vacation, and some of them have got the whole matter fixed in their minds. The Advertiser man regrets that it is not the fashion to shut up newspaper shops, put the key under the mat, and editors be allowed to roam at their own sweet wills during the hot summer months. His regret is a rational one. But a goodly proportion couldn't roam to great extent unless they had rich friends to furnish the sinews of war. But there is one consolation about it, the fares are so very cheap that Woburn editors can manage to go down to the beach once or twice in a while during dog-days, and that is something to brag on.

The Field Sports of the 4th will come off on the Common after the band concert at 9 o'clock. They will consist of the following games:—

	1st	2d
Doughnut Race	\$1.00	.50
Boat Race	2.00	1.00
Quarter Mile Foot Race	3.00	2.00
3-Legged Race	2.00	1.00
Wheelbarrow Race	2.00	1.00
Sack Race	2.00	1.00
Standing High Jump	2.00	1.00
Running High Jump	2.00	1.00
Three Long Jumps	3.00	2.00
Putting Heavy Weight	2.00	1.00

Terms of Five, for a purse of \$10.00

Pie Eating Match 1.00 .50

Mr. John C. Buck, manager of the Boston Company's store, has issued a 4th of July proclamation which can be seen on the first page of this paper. The document refers chiefly to clothes, and from a to izzard is "mighty interesting reading." The idea of the manager, as near as we can get to it, is to put the prices of clothing, furnishing goods, hats, caps, etc., so low that the seasons wind-up will witness the grandest rush at the store of the Company that was ever seen in this town. Briefly, there has already commenced the fun a big "laughter" in prices, and there has begun in dead earnest. Our readers should lose no time in taking advantage of this opportunity to buy cheap.

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An exceeding pleasant one all the way from start to close, and that the whole party enjoyed themselves very much. Of course they saw a good deal of Uncle Sam's country while away and in great variety, but after all, our friend says, their love for New England is not a whit abated, nor is their charms dimmed by anything they saw during their long journey. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson are very glad they took the exceedingly pleasant trip.

At a meeting of the 4th of July committee held last Friday evening it was voted to celebrate Independence Day, and a programme in the rough as follows was agreed on:—Band concert in the morning, parade, field sports during the day, concert in the evening, illumination, and fireworks. Another meeting was held on last Tuesday evening when the following committees to carry out the programme were chosen: On Music, Fred H. Lewis, E. E. Thompson, C. F. Carling. Fireworks, Lawrence Reade, Edwin F. Cassidy, William F. Kenney, E. D. Leighton, Charles E. Halliday, A. E. Fessenden, Fred E. Lowell. Illumination, H. E. Strout, Charles H. Harrington, F. S. Burgess. The following appropriations were voted:—For Band \$100; field sports, \$50; illumination, \$50. The committee on Music were instructed to engage the Woburn Brass Band for the exercises of the day. Thanks were given to Hook & Ladder No. 1, and Hose No. 1, for use of their rooms for committee meetings. F. H. Lewis, W. F. Kenney, C. B. Bryant were requested to report on finance and parade at next meeting. Adjourned to meet this evening at Gilchrist Hook & Ladder house on Montvale Avenue. It looks now as though a celebration was a sure thing.

The examination of William Butler Jones, oldest son of Mr. Gilman F. Jones of this place, for admission to the West Point Military Academy from the Fifth Massachusetts District closed last Friday successfully for the applicant. Some time since he and others were examined for appointment at Cambridge by a committee, when a young man by the name of Hall was certified for the cadetship and young Jones was chosen alternate. For reason Hall's papers were not accepted at Washington, and being rejected Jones's examination for the place was ordered. He left here about five weeks ago, and went to West Point a week previous to his examination. This he passed to the entire satisfaction of the Board of Examiners, and was thereupon admitted as a cadet. He was a member of '83 class of the Woburn High School and would have graduated to-day. He is a good scholar, of studious habits, and a bright, promising young man. An examination for a cadetship at West Point is a severe test of a youth's intellectual qualities and general make-up. To obtain the prize a lad must possess real merit. Knowledge and physical fitness win, and we think it a bright feather in young Jones's cap that he passed the examination successfully, and won the honorable position. It is for life, and one of the best in the gift of the government.

A regular meeting of the School Committee was held at their rooms on Tuesday evening at which the following business was transacted: Monthly report of the Superintendent received.—Voted, that all candidates for the High School who have received 70 per cent and over during the year be admitted without condition.—Miss Mary Jacobs was admitted as a pupil in the High School.—Messrs Lang, Johnson and Bartlett were appointed a committee on school buildings, and were instructed to make a systematic inspection of the methods of heating.—The resignation of Miss S. E. Barron as a teacher was received.—The following teachers were appointed:—High School, J. I. Hanson, Ida A. C. Jacobs, E. Maria Blodgett, Elizabeth M. Brown. Cummings School, F. B. Richardson, Emma F. Hovey, Lizzie H. Boyd, Alice G. Grammer, Mary A. Richardson, M. Louise Brown, Florence E. Barrett. Hudson School, W. B. Greeley, Susan A. Russell, Amanda Stevens, Hannah A. Russell, Jennie E. Skinner. Centre School, Mary E. Briggs, Dora T. Fuller, Mary E. Doyle. Plympton Street School, Marian T. Hosmer, Mary M. Eaton, Clara M. Fox, Margaret H. Bowers, Alice S. Hartsborn. Rumford School, A. R. Lincoff, Mary A. Tapley, Fannie S. Jones, Arabella Menard. Johnson School, Mary E. Hovey, Nellie L. Sheehan, Annie E. Byrne. Montvale School, Augusta M. Fellows, Annie M. Henshaw, Nellie A. Hanson, Emma F. Fowle. Lawrence School, Lillie M. DeLoria, Lizzie P. Ingalls, Lucretia K. Tidd. Union Street, Josie A. Randall, N. Grace Gould, Lillie G. Walker. Highland School, Jessie A. Day, Abbie L. Blake. Morse Street, Mary J. Wakeford, Julia A. Murphy. Main Street, Martha A. Russell.—Ephraim Cutter Jr., was re-elected music teacher.—Thomas Mulken and Charles K. Conn were elected Trust Officers.—Monthly Bills referred to the Auditors.—Adjourned to Monday evening July 2.

The graduating exercises of the Woburn High School Class '83 will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in Lyceum Hall. Every necessary arrangement to make the occasion a happy one has been attended to, and it is expected that it will be very entertaining. The class is the largest that

ever graduated from the W. H. S., so we are told, and its unusual size cuts off a third or more of the members from participation in the literary programme. For all to read essays, recite poems, etc., would run the affair far into night, which of course could not be thought of seriously. The class motto is *Plus Ultra*. The Hall is elegantly decorated for the occasion and looks very handsome. There is a great abundance of rare flowers, a great array in evergreens, ferns, mottoes in pinks, potted plants, flags, etc., all of which have been arranged with exquisite taste.

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Declamation. (Extract) Jamie Douglass Reading. The English and Roman methods of Latin Pronunciation contrasted. (Extract from Cicero). Misses Brearlist and Leslie

Chorus. Evening Song. Cutter

Declamation. (Extract) The Stowaway. Miss Elard

Class History. Miss Holmes

Class Prophecies. Miss Dodge

Declamation. (Extract from Holmes). How the Old Horse won the bet. Master Duncan

Original Declaration. Respite. Miss White

Presentation of Diplomas. Shields

Chorus. The Brook. Miss Robbins

Valuedictory. Plus Ultra. Music by E. Cutter, Jr.

The class reception will be held at Dea Whitford's.

GRADUATING CLASS.

General Course.—Maggie E. Barstow, Sarah J. Colburn, Alice G. Dow, Sarah E. Elard, Frank P. Flag, Martha E. Leslie, Mary L. Porter, M. Alice Robbins, Sarah D. Simonson, Sarah S. Waterman.

College Department.—Etta M. Crane, Lizzie B. Dodge, Marion I. Smith, Charles L. White.

Three Years' Course.—Harry S. Adams, John Dunstan, Mattie E. Enger, Grace L. Ellis, George B. Gibson, John H. Grantfield, Georgetta A. Higgins, Carrie L. Horton, William H. Jones, Etta Larkin, May H. Perkins, Celia A. Reade, Florence A. Rice, Annie N. Taylor, Kate E. Wakeford, Kate T. Walsh, Arthur W. Whitchea, Alfred H. Whitford.

Two Years' Course.—James H. Byrne, Octavianus A. Frye, Jeremiah O'Donnell.

A Partially Dead Man.

The Morning Herald, Baltimore, Md., states: Major B. S. White, of this city, describes his miraculous cure as follows:—"I have been a partially dead man for ten years. Doctors attributed my sufferings to the enlargement of certain glands. The quantity of medicine I took without relief would be sufficient to set up a first class apothecary shop. Finally St. Jacobs Oil was recommended. I had my spinal column thoroughly rubbed with it. All those knots, kinks and stiffness have passed away, and I am myself again."

MONTVALE.

The Stars of this village met the Reading Base Ball Club on the diamond field last Saturday and vanquished them 22 to 15. Both sides played a good game but the Stars were too much for the Reading chaps by seven majority.

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